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VILLA PLANS TO BE PRESIDENT SAYS FRIEND

Chihuahua, Mex., March 14.—"General Villa, the one-time bandit, will be the next president of Mexico. This is his ambition and despite all reports to the contrary, it will remain his ambition until he either is dead or is president."

This declaration was made today by a friend close to General Villa.

"General Villa will remain supreme commander during the progress of the rebellion," said one of his friends. "He could not afford to go ahead of his army into Torreon before he had first satisfied himself that his going would not result in the loss of any of his power."

Mexico City, Mex., March 14.—Secretary of State Bryan's formal note received here today acknowledging the receipt of the Huerta protest against the importation of arms into Mexico, averted a serious situation, according to Mexican officials. It would have been necessary to have given Charge O'Shaughnessy his passports had not the note been received and answered.

The Bryan note was somewhat of a disappointment to the Mexican government as it did not go beyond acknowledgment of his receipt.

The federal garrison of Tejutla revolted when they failed to receive their pay and killed their officers and many civilians. The war office announced today that all mutineers were either killed or taken prisoners.

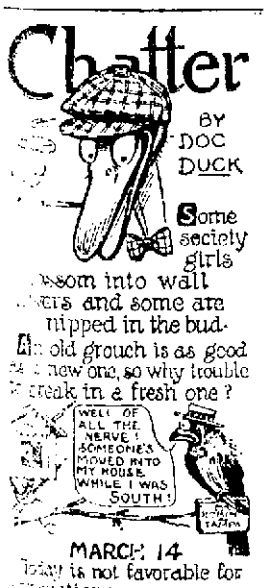
Huerta intends to burn Mexico City as Nero burned Rome when the capture of the city by the rebels seems imminent, a prominent Mexican said today.

Washington, March 14.—General Carranza has consented to have the American consul to look after the interests of foreigners in the parts of Mexico under the control of the constitutionalists where their own governments have no consular representatives. Where there are such representatives, he suggests that even when their governments have recognized Huerta these consuls may officially communicate with him in cases involving the government. Also he suggests his will be glad to listen to and heed any representation made to him directly by the friends and relatives of foreigners whose lives or property may be threatened and to make investigation of every case and to punish any of his followers who may be culpable.

This is the substance of a report made today by American Consul Simpich, at Nogales.

OPERA HOUSE WAS BURNED

Conneaut, Pa., March 14.—The Grand Opera House, erected here years ago, at a cost of $100,000, was destroyed by fire today.



FINDS JOBS FOR CLERKS AT SIEGELS

New York, March 14. A little cheer came to the employees of the defunct Siegel stores with the announcement that John Claflin would place as many as possible of the 2,000 employees in various department stores throughout the city in which he is interested.

Hundreds of the store clerks, besides losing jobs, will lose their savings because they were depositors in a small way in the defunct Siegel banks, which were thrown into bankruptcy. Their deposits which ranged from $25 to $800 are lost. They also contributed to the sick benefit fund of the two stores.

GUESTS FLED TO STREETS IN LIGHT ATTIRE

Cleveland, O., March 14.—Fifty guests of the Hotel Frederick fled to the streets in a panic early today when flames threatened the building. Most of them were theatrical people and all shivered in night clothes until the fire was extinguished. An aged man, who had on only a knee length night shirt, was found shivering in the cold. An actress came to his rescue with a silk kimona.

MAIL CLERK IS CRUSHED TO DEATH

Indianapolis, Ind., March 14.—David Rosenbaum, 65, veteran railway mail clerk, of Cincinnati, was killed early today when he was thrown under a switch engine at the Union station here. He was standing between two tracks. An approaching engine threw him in front of a switch engine. He lived at 870 Buena Vista Place, Cincinnati. A card on his person requested that Miss Mary Fagen be notified of his death.

DEPUTIES ARE OPPOSED TO GUARD MINES

Wellsburg, W. Va., March 14.—Disorders growing out of the strike of 400 employes of the West Virginia and Pittsburgh Coal company at Collins, near here, today prompted Sheriff Patterson of Brooke county to swear out additional deputy sheriffs to guard mine property. Five armed negroes, said to be strike breakers, were arrested there. Thursday night following a street riot, and while their licensing was in progress a house near the lattice in which was fired by unknown parties at 2 o'clock.

OLDEST ELK DEAD

Owosso, Mich., March 14.—Daniel O'Connell, 103, known as the oldest living member of the Fraternal order of Elks, died here today.

DON'T POKE THE MONEY DEVIL

POLITICIAN ACCUSED OF BLACKMAIL

Omaha, Neb., March 14.—Attorney John F. Yeiser, member of the state parole and pardon board and candidate for the Republican nomination for governor of Nebraska was today indicted for blackmail. The complaint is based on the activities of Yeiser in the damage suit of a young woman whose suit against Albert Clark, a wealthy private banker of Council Bluffs for $100,000 for alleged defamation of character, was taken from the jury by Judge Estel and dismissed.

TEN DIE IN COLLISION

Temora, New South Wales, March 14.—During a dense fog ten passengers were killed and fifteen injured in a collision today between a mail train and a freight locomotive near Moss Vale.

Among those killed were a man and his two daughters, who were accompanying the body of their wife and mother to this city. A son of the same family was badly injured.

WHEN SISTER DIES, HELEN MUST GO TO PENITENTIARY

Chicago, March 14.—With tears streaming down her cheeks, Helen Young, who confessed she passed worthless checks in Los Angeles, sat at the bedside of her sister who is dying of a cancer in a scantily furnished room.

A court edict made her incapable from extradition to California until her sister breathed her last.

"Judges have hearts as well as heads," said Judge Gibbons. "We cannot deny the right of California to extract punishment from Miss Young for her crime but we will not allow her to be taken away at this time."

A Los Angeles police woman will come for the girl when her sister breathes her last.

CINCINNATI MAY LOSE NEW BANK

Washington, March 14.—The treasury department today declined to affirm statements of Representative Glass, chairman of the house banking and currency committee that neither Cleveland nor Cincinnati would be selected as a regional bank center. In a list made public it was said that Cincinnati would be included in Atlanta or St. Louis territory and that Cleveland would be included in the Chicago territory.

ANOTHER WHITE HOUSE WEDDING

Washington, March 14.—The President and Mrs. Wilson announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Eleanor Randolph, to Hon. William Gibbs McAdoo.

The announcement was issued at the White House by Secretary Tumulty last night after a day of speculation in Capital official and society circles over the prospects of another White House wedding in June.

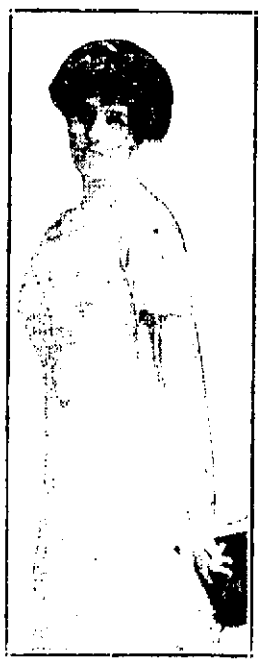
For weeks there have been rumors that the President's daughter and the secretary of the treasury would be married soon, and in the past day or two there has been no doubt that an announcement would be expected. The exact date of the wedding is not known, but it is generally believed that it will be some time in June.

There has been extraordinary interest in the engagement among officials, and the many friends both Miss Wilson and the cabinet officer have made during the year they have been in the Capital. The youngest of the family, Miss Eleanor, is said to be her father's pet and there is a strong personal friendship between the President and the man who is to marry his daughter.

Report that Secretary McAdoo could retire from the cabinet after his marriage and perhaps become ambassador to France were set at rest last night by White House officials who said emphatically that he was expected to remain at the head of the treasury department.

WILLIAM G. McADOO
The Prospective Groom

Miss Wilson will be the fourteenth White House bride and the second of President Wilson's daughters to marry in the national executive mansion. Her sister, Miss Jessie Woodrow Wilson became Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre in the East Room on November 25th last.



Miss Eleanor Randolph Wilson,
The new White House Bride

DECREE IS ENTERED IN C.&O.-LAKE SHORE DEAL, RAILROADS LOSE CASE

Columbus, O., March 14.—By a decree given by the federal court here today the Lake Shore railroad is given two months in which to purchase the Kanawha and Michigan now owned partly with the C. & O. or the joint interest of both roads in the K. & M. must be sold to others.

Similar time is allowed for complete disposal at private sale, of the Sunday Creek and Continental Coal and Coke Company stock by the railroads now holding it. If these decrees are not fulfilled by that time the court will appoint a master to dispose of them.

This court in December, 1912 held that the holdings of the Hocking Valley, T. & O., C. C. & O., Lake Shore & Michigan in the Sunday Creek Coal Co. and the joint ownership of the K. & M. by the C. & O. and Lake Shore constituted violation of the Sherman anti-trust law. The decree was rendered by a specially constituted United States District Court composed of Judges Dennis of Indiana, Warrington of Cincinnati and Knapp of Michigan.

Talkative Mr. Page Is Again Roasted

Washington, March 14.—"Some means ought to be found by the powers that be to seal the lips of the ambassador to Great Britain, or at least, in justice to the American people, he ought to be recalled at once," declared Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, in a formal statement after reading cabled reports of Ambassador Page's address before the Associated Chamber of Commerce in London.

Senator Chamberlain introduced the resolution as the result of which Secretary Bryan cabled Mr. Page for a full report of his speech in which he was reported as having said that the Americans were pleased that Great Britain should profit most by the Panama canal.

"This is the second time within a year that Ambassador Page has been guilty of the impropriety of placing the American people in a false light before the British public," said Chamberlain.

Ellis Lawyer Is Roasted By Court

SAVED!

Boston, Mass., March 14.—Mistaking the cries of a student from an adjoining building for an alarm of fire last night, Rev. Dr. Kendall McLean jumped from a second story window landing in an ash barrel. He was uninjured.

Chicago, March 14.—William C. Ellis, Cincinnati leather man, convicted of killing his wife, accepted a sentence of 15 years in the state penitentiary today without making an effort to get a new trial. Formal motion for a new trial made by Ellis' counsel was withdrawn.

Judge Petit directed Stephen Malato, assistant state's attorney, to investigate the conduct of Dr. Thomas Hogan, jail physician, who testified for Ellis.

"The action of Mr. Remus in withdrawing his plea for a new trial speaks volumes and has sinister significance," said the judge. "It shows that he believed the testimony of his own medical witnesses to be without foundation. Each of these alienists testified that Ellis was insane when he committed the crime. If Mr. Remus believed the testimony of these doctors to be true, then he must believe his client was innocent and his action today in abandoning the case at this stage is extraordinary. The testimony of Dr. Hogan was directly opposite to his opinion expressed on the outside."

GOVERNOR IS OUT AGAIN

Columbus, O., March 14.—For the first time in three days Gov. Cox had recovered from his cold enough to get down to his office at the state house today. He spent two hours looking over his mail and consulting with Attorney General Hogan. He has cancelled all engagements for today, tomorrow and Monday.

Ocean Speed Record

New York, March 14.—The fastest one day's run by an eastbound Atlantic steamship has been broken by the Cunard liner Lusitania. A wireless from Capt. David Dow of the Lusitania brought word that from Thursday noon to Friday noon his vessel covered 618 knots, an average speed of 26.70 knots an hour. The previous record was 614 knots.

Hero Died Saturday

Williamson, W. Va., March 14.—Wm. McCoy, 20, who was injured while trying to rescue Miss Dixie Blackburn from an approaching train on the W. & T. C. railroad bridge, across Tug river at East Williamson by the Williamson watch train, died today. The body of Miss Blackburn was buried at her home at Mela, Ky. today.

John C. C. Mayo, wealthy East Kentucky capitalist, is at the point of death in a Cincinnati hospital from kidney disease.

Minister Was Shot To Death

Ft. Smith, Ark., March 14—Rev. D. N. Keck, Methodist minister, of Huntsville, was found shot to death today in the road three miles from Winters. He had been dead for several hours. No cause for the murder is known.

WOMAN'S HEAD WAS CUT OFF

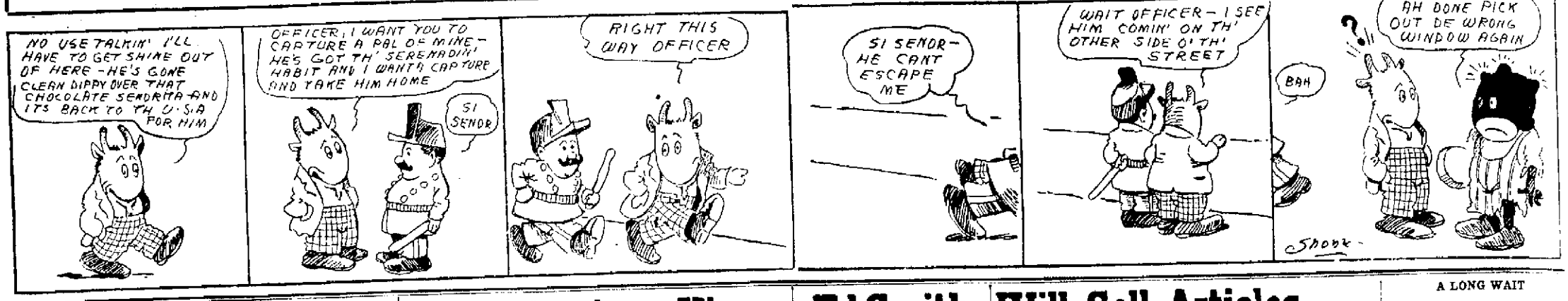
Fall River, Mass., March 14.—Mrs. Teresa Belaiski, wife, 27, was murdered in her yard here today. The murderer, who escaped, is believed by the police to be a man whose attentions she had refused. The assailant seized Mrs. Belaiski and with a huge knife completely severed her head from her body.

Well, how's this? I've always heard that everything comes to him who waits and goodness knows I've been waitin' long enough for th' chance t' pass along weather like this to the good weather lovers of Portsmouth. Now that it seems I be over I don't mind sayin' that I've been ready t' quit on th' weather stuff for some time. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight and Sunday. Warmer tonight south portion.

Kentucky—Fair tonight, warmer east and central portion; Sunday fair.

"BILLY BUTT IN"



Shine Has Some More Hard Luck.

The Boy Scouts

Win Seven Merit Badges

Scout Curtis Ayers of the First Christian troop received through our Local Court of Honor, Friday afternoon, Merit Badges on the following subjects: Bee Farming, Firemanship, Swimming, Art, Civics, Pathfinding, First Aid to Animals. Ayers is quite an ambitious young Scout ,and aspires to the Eagle rank.

New Scout Master

The German troop was registered at local headquarters this week. Rev. S. Lindemeyer is the scoutmaster. Rev. Lindemeyer has had many years of experience in dealing with young men and boys, having been a volunteer worker in the county Y. M. C. A. This troop will be known as troop No. 5.

Scout Speakers At Harrisonville

Scout Commissinner M. H. F. Kinsey and Field Secretary C. W. Ridenour will be the principal speakers at the Tri-Township Sunday school convention, Sunday afternoon at Harrisonville. The boy problem will be the chief topic.

Plan For Greater Efficiency

The Trinity Troop went on record last night for greater efficiency in their work, when they made all of their First Class Scouts, Patrol Leaders. This troop now boasts of 6 First Class Scouts and is one of the biggest troops in the city. Mr. C. C. Bridwell is the scoutmaster, and Cary Williams the assistant.

Terminal Scouts Meet

Terminal Scouts had the best meeting yet on Friday afternoon, which was held in the temporary hospital of the Y. M. C. A., Mr. Joe Sullivan of the German troop in charge. Hobart Lawson was chosen as Scout Scribe. The Scouts debated the subject, "Resolved, That Grant Was a Greater General Than Lee." Harold Delaney, Frank Lockett, and Averill Williams handled the affirmative, while Herman Lambert, Albert Wagner and Howard Childs took col after the negative. The affirmative won. Joe Sullivan in a short talk to the boys advised against the use of tobacco and especially the use of the cigarette. Telling the boys that the only way to become a leader was by living clean and setting the proper example. Joe's story was appreciated by the boys. C. W. Ridenour read one chapter from Mr. Kinsey's serial story, Dan Fischer, and the meeting was closed.

Boy Scout Basket Ball League

How They Stand

	W.	L.	Pct.
Troop four	9	1	.900
Troop two	5	4	.555
Troop three	4	6	.400
Troop seven	1	8	.111

Troop Four Wins

In a very interesting and fast game at the Second Presbyterian Gym, Friday evening, Troop four won over Troop three. The game was closely contested. Baker and Franck starred. The score:

Second Pres. (19)	First Pres (12)
Franck	C. R. Bellamy
Molster	RF Wagner
Darragh	LF Baker
Bauer	RG C. Bellamy
Price	LG Helmsin

Foul Goals—Molster, 1.
Field Goals—Franck, 3; Molster, 1; Darragh, 4, Price, 1, R. Bellamy, 2; Wagner, 2; Baker, 2.
Scorekeeper—Damon; Referee—Evans.

Corbin Resigns His Position With C. & O.

Huntington, W. Va., March 14.—It is not yet decided whether or not ho W. C. Corbin, who for the past six months has been chief clerk to Division Superintendent L. B. Allen, of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad here, has resigned to take effect today. He will be succeeded by Frank Manning, formerly employed by the railroad at Ashland. Mr. Corbin has not yet decided where he will go.

Mr. Corbin was for some years a resident of Portsmouth, being connected with the N. & W. as car distributor and later as assistant yardmaster. He left here May 16, 1912, to go with the C. & O.

NEVER TOO OLD FOR MUMPS

Preston Messer of Sixth street, is confined to his home with an attack of mumps. He is 48 years of age and on account of his age the disease is going rather hard with him.

New Boston Will Get Picture House

New Boston is going to have a real moving picture theatre and it will be quite ornate in design and will be built on the Gallia pike. Architect Arthur Dever was commissioned Saturday to draw the plans of the building. It will be a frame structure and will have a seating capacity of 300. The front will be stucco. The name of the builder is not yet decided. The contract was being withheld for a few days. New Boston is sufficiently large to support an amusement place of this kind and the venture will no doubt be a success.

Wheelersburg Revival

Revival meetings begin tomorrow to continue for a week or two in the Wheelersburg Baptist church. Rev. E. Paul Langhorne will go to conduct these services. Big meetings are expected and great interest is being shown already. A deep spiritual awakening is manifested in the prayer meetings conducted by men of the church. Everybody in the "burg" is looking forward to a wonderful blessing from the Lord.

Everybody is welcome. Come and participate in this work for the Master.

EXCITING RUNAWAY

William Pollock, of 1716 Twelfth street, is carrying one of his little dingers in splints as memento of an exciting runaway. He is a delivery driver for the Kenkelle bakery. Thursday morning his horse ran away at the east end of Seventh street, crashing into a milk wagon and badly damaging both vehicles. The reins broke as Mr. Pollock stepped on them and he had no control over the horse, which dashed the wagon against a telephone pole. Pollock was thrown out and received a number of bad bruises besides the broken leg. He was removed to his home on Gallia street. Dr. Tice reduced the fracture and he is getting along nicely.

JACKSON PAPER LIKED SHONKWILER'S CARTOON

[illegible] been converted, and [illegible] from their past [illegible] sins by the baptism of [illegible]

More than that they are [illegible] the great truth to the [illegible] a few of whom still adhere to the Roosevelt disease [illegible]

PE-RU-NA
A LIVER TONIC

Since taking Peruna my bowels have become perfectly regular. I was hardly aware that I was taking a laxative at all. I commenced taking the Peruna for my tonic qualities. It seemed to me I was in need of a tonic. Peruna has proved a splendid tonic, in my case, and to my surprise it also regulated my bowels. I am in splendid condition, I am three or four times as capable for business today as I was a month ago. I am sure that it whose credit is due to Peruna.

Those who object to liquid medicine will find Peruna Tablets a desirable remedy for catarrhal conditions.

PE-RU-NA
A LIVER TONIC

Ed Smith Honored

Friends here of Ed Smith, of Winchester, Ky., will be interested to learn that he has just been elevated to the exalted rulership of the Elk lodge in that city. Mr. Smith has visited here and is a boyhood friend of E. K. S. Clinkenbeard, of Seventh street.

Spring Blood and System Cleanser

During the winter months impurities accumulate, your blood becomes impure and thick, your kidneys, liver and bowels fail to work, causing so-called "Spring Fever." You feel tired, weak and lazy. Electric Bitters—the spring tonic and system cleanser—is what you need; they stimulate the kidneys, liver and bowels to healthy action, expel blood impurities and restore your health, strength and ambition. Electric Bitters makes you feel like new. Start a four weeks' treatment—it will put you in fine shape for your spring work. Guaranteed. At druggists 50 cents and $1.00.

H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis. adv.

Boys Have Left

Afflicted with nomadic fever, Wilburn Hall, Steve Manning and Robert Brooks, North End boys, left the city Friday to appease their burning desire to see the country, and nothing has since been heard of them. They were guilty of the same trick last year and remained away from the city six weeks.

Was Thirty Below Zero

Orville Roberts, of Sixth street, has returned from London, Canada, for a visit of two or three months among his old friends, who are all delighted to see the popular shoecorter again. He has been working in a shoe factory at London, and says it is some cold there, thirty degrees below being a common record.

WALTERS CO. PROSPERS

The Walters Plumbing Company will greatly enlarge its electrical department in a short time. They will also equip a rest room at the front of their store for the benefit of those waiting for street cars in inclement weather. The rest room will be made very cosy and attractive and adorned with a profusion of flowers.

Ah, The Captain!

W. J. McCarty, captain of the police force, received his new cap from the Schanz Company Saturday. It is trimmed with gold and has gold stripes running up the shoulders of it. McCarty will now make his arrests in style.

Will See A Specialist

John Henkel, of English street, will go to Cincinnati Sunday, to consult Dr. Sattler. He has been having trouble with his eyes for some time.

At Selby's

Jacob Miller will on Monday enter the employ of the Selby Shoe company.

Will Sell Articles Made By Blind

Miss Bessie B. Clark, representing the Ohio State Commission for the Blind of Columbus, arrived in Portsmouth Friday evening to make the preliminary arrangements for an exhibition and sale in this city of goods and articles made by the adult blind throughout the state. She has made arrangements with the Marting Brothers' store for the sale, the date of which has not been determined, but it will be in about two weeks.

Miss Clark called upon some of the leading club women in the city Saturday morning, and met with the members of the Associated Charities Saturday afternoon. In matters of this kind, the representative of the state commission always works in league with the Federation of Women's Clubs.

The State Commission, through its Home Workers' Guild, employs and supervises the work of blind girls and women in their homes, at sewing, knitting and crocheting, in the making of saleable articles for household use. The Commission furnishes the material and directions for making, sends a blind home teacher when instruction is necessary, and pays the worker for her work when it is finished.

The great problem in developing home industries for the blind is to find a market for the goods. This is being accomplished through the hearty co-operation of public-spirited merchants, the press and the public. In six cities of the state there are stores that have donated space for permanent departments for the sale of the work of the blind, while in other cities temporary sales are held.

Miss Clark will remain in Portsmouth for several days, making necessary arrangements, and will assist at the sale when it is conducted.

Back For A Visit

Newton Huddleson came down from the Soldiers' Home at Sandusky, Saturday, to spend a few weeks with local relatives and old friends. Mr. Huddleson has just recently been made assistant steward at the Soldiers' Home.

Steel Baskets

The J. W. Jordan Grocery company at Eleventh and Hutchins, has installed a new innovation in the shape of bright woven steel delivery baskets, strong, durable, handy and sanitary.

Had Fine Horses

John Conkel, the well-known Lucasville stock trader, was in the city Friday with some elegant specimens of horseflesh.

VOTED FOR WEBB BILL

Representative Bryson, of Greenup county, the young student at the Kentucky State University, who was elected to fill out the unexpired term of the late Rev. Scott, was one of the 60 members of the legislature who voted for the Webb bill, providing for a state-wide prohibition constitutional amendment. Thursday. The Webb bill carried by a vote of 60 to 30. The young representative was recorded among the opponents of the bill to provide for a constitutional amendment extending equal suffrage to women, which lost by a vote of 59 to 21.

Mrs. James Squires, of Fifth street, is seriously ill with bronchial trouble.

The National Rat Killer
Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste
Ready for use, economical, reliable.
Directions in language in packages. Trial size 25c and $1.00.
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A LONG WAIT

"Johnny, I don't believe you studied your geography."

"No mum; I heard pa say the map of the world was changing every day an' I thought I'd wait a few years till things got settled."—Brooklyn Life.

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STATE EXAMINERS REPORT ON COUNTY

The various county officials upon the auditor received Saturday the reports of the state examiners, T. Q. Bowles and Theo. L. Thompson, of an examination made a few months ago.

A recapitulation of these reports show the books of the officials to be in good condition with the exception of some minor errors in some of the offices.

Recorder's Office

The examiners say the books in this office are well kept and evidencing in good condition, showing a large volume of business, which could be handled only by an efficient force.

Probate Office

The examiners found an error in the books of this office, in which the official owed the county $208, in two years work. The examiners says that they called the attention of Judge Beatty to the error and he immediately paid the amount into the treasury. They say the books are well kept, and the office has an efficient clerical force.

Clerks of Courts

The books of the clerk of courts show an error in addition in a two years work, of $1,05. The examiners say the books of this office are in good condition and well kept. They go a little farther in this office, and say that the clerk has a very efficient deputy in the person of Mrs. Gladys Clare.

The County Commissioners

In the record of the transactions of the county commissioners the examiners found a few errors. Some of these were mere clerical, such as the Street Railway Company was overaid in April, $2.90. The Amann Laundry, over paid, 20 cents. The Eskes Printing Co., $1.75, making a total of $2.95. These exceptions were made later and the amounts refunded.

Other errors the examiners say were overpaid were those of the various newspapers, in which the printers and the newspapers differed as to the measurements of advertising. The examiners say the New Blade has been overpaid $8.29, The Times $18.29, The Courier $ 30.91, making a total of $56.76.

The Infirmary

The examiners say the infirmary in the hands of John Hall and family was in exceptionally good order. The bookkeeping of Mr. Hall demonstrated that he was a competent capable official, and a man well fitted to the position.

Treasurer

The county treasurer's records and accounts were approved by the examiner.

County Surveyor

The county surveyor was commended by the examiners.

Sec. Gustin Called Home

Secretary Gustin, secretary to Congressman Switzer, arrived on Saturday afternoon from Washington, called here on account of the serious illness of his father, D. W. Gustin.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip

LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets cure the cause. There is Only One "BROMO QUININE". Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE on each box. 25 cents.

Last Portsmouth W. C. T. U. afternoon at the home of Mrs. Samp Pierce, on Vinton ave. Very interesting program was given. A sketch was given by the secretary. Following the

Secretary Joseph. Dell. Woman Suffrage" Mrs. Pierce.

"Sidelights on Local Option Fight" Mrs. Pierce.

Woman's Suffrage in a Religious Aspect" Mrs. Pierce.

"Suffrage as a Reform" Mrs. Burkhart.

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THE SABBATH QUESTION

Tomorrow's Sunday School lesson has to do with the Sabbath question, and as usual the Trinity Men's Bible Class have something started before the class session begins. "Why don't we keep the seventh day instead of the first day of the week?" is the first question they have up. Then close upon the heels of that comes: "Are we justified in making the change?" Then, lest interest lag, but we don't see how it could, comes: "When was the change made?" "Who made the change?" "What does Jesus mean when He said that the Sabbath was made for man and not man for the Sabbath?" "How should the day be kept?"

Among two hundred men, the usual number present, there is bound to be some differences of opinion, at least enough to make an interesting session.

Mrs. Lozier Asks For A Divorce

Attorney Theo. K. Funk filed a suit in divorce and alimony in common pleas court Saturday, in which Lucinda Lozier is plaintiff and Russell Lozier is defendant. The petition avers marriage in November, 1909, and have one child, now four years old. She alleges that her husband has grossly neglected her, failed to provide for her, and has been extremely cruel toward her. She further charges that he is, and has been an habitual drunkard for more than three years. That he cursed her, called her vile names, and on January 20th, 1913, he assaulted her, knocked her down, and threatened to cut her throat with a razor. She therefore asks that she be give an divorce, custody of the child and reasonable alimony.

Steel Mill Will Have Brass Band

The Portsmouth Steel Co. promises to be represented by a 20-piece brass band within the near future, and it will be a creditable organization, too, composed of boys ranging from 12 years to 18 years. Then when the steel plant baseball season is opened, there will be music galore.

The band is being organized under the supervision of John Milliken, head of the employment bureau. Mr. McMiken has selected James Hladik as leader, while Mr. Milliken, of course, will be drum major, as well as president and secretary of the organization. New uniforms will shortly be ordered and the band will give its first public concert within the next few weeks. At present the band holds Monday night rehearsals at the Milliken home.

Gideon Will Be At Wesley Hall

Wesley Hall will be especially honored tomorrow at 3 p. m. with the presence and preaching of Mr. F. B. Fogle, one of the leading city mission workers of America. He is a Gideon of the first type. A true man, a devout Christian, converted in a mission under the preaching of Mr. Moody. He has organized and financed a number of city missions himself. He has visited most of the large missions of the United States. He now travels for the American Bible Society, has sold carloads of bibles. Wesley Hall cordially invites all of its workers and friends to hear this man. Let all who are interested in mission work be present.

Sin Is Scored At 1st Baptist Church

Sin! Sin! Sin! received a most severe arraignment at the First Baptist church last night in the sermon of Evangelist Jenkins. He said there is no place too sacred that sin's slimy trail is not seen and its cloven footprint discovered, and no life that has come and gone that has not benefited and carried into eternity the marks of sin either good by Grace or damned because of rejected Grace.

The deceitfulness of sin is one of its effects we need to fear. It magnifies itself in others and minimizes itself in ourselves. The same sin that we deplore and condemn in others is excluded and excused in ourselves and our kin. We are still devised, regardless of the Master's words, "Why beholdest thou the mote which is in thy brother's eye and considereth not the beam in thine own eye."

Sin is destructive. No soul is made more qualified to meet life by indulging in sin. It destroys physical strength, natural and trained talent and units for life in every avenue, domestic and otherwise.

The result of sin is most startling. The wages of sin is death.

Death to peace with God.
Death to fellowship with God.
Death to the eternity with God.

At the conclusion of the sermon three presented themselves for membership. There will be services tonight at 7:45.

MONEY TO LOAN.
The Portsmouth German Build. and Loan Association Co. Edgar F. Draper, Secretary, Masonic Temple. adv 6-tf

Going To Florida.

Ed Shump and a party of local prospectors will leave Monday for Fellsmere, Florida, where Mr. Shump recently purchased 500 acres of valuable land.

IS SOME COLD UP IN CANADA SAYS ROBERTS

Mr. Orville Roberts returned from London, Ontario, Friday, for a visit with his parents on New Sixth street. He reports business very dull throughout Canada, and a very severe winter there.

"Ice Hockey, the Canadian National sport," he says, "is the only game that can, in any way, compare with our baseball. Cold there? Honestly, between puffs, the mouth end of a cigar becomes a snowball."

His hosts of friends are busy welcoming him back to Portsmouth, if only for a few days.

Marshall Pitched Well

Cy Marshall, pitching for the Philadelphia Nationals, yesterday made a fine showing against the Jersey City club at Wilmington, N. C. The shooters could do nothing with his delivery while he was on the mound. Tincup, a recruit, succeeded him during the latter innings, and Jersey City piled up eight runs off him in the last inning, the Quakers barely winning 11 to 10.

CONFERRING IN COLUMBUS

Columbus, O., Mar. 14.--Representatives of some Portsmouth shoe companies are in Columbus today in conference with the State Industrial Commission. The object of the conference was not made known.

Mystery In Fire

Cotton quilting at John Arthurs' grocery, corner Fifteenth and Kinney streets, caught fire in a mysterious manner early Friday evening, causing a small-sized fire scare. Further damage was averted when Arthurs carried the burning goods out of the building and deposited it in the street, severely burning his hands in so doing.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, First National Bank Bldg. adv

Sparks Cause Of A Fire

Sparks from a chimney at the residence of Charles Taylor at 109 Front street set fire to the roof of the house about noon Saturday, causing slight damage. Neighbors formed a bucket brigade and had the blaze extinguished before the department arrived.

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TO LUNCH AT Y. W. C. A.

Those workers who are interested in the "Go To Church Campaign" which will be many realized Sunday, will meet at the Y. W. C. A. Monday noon between the hours of 11:30 and 12:30, where luncheon will be served. The workers have hitherto been meeting for luncheon on Tuesday noons, but the day has been changed to Monday in order that all the ministers in the city may meet with the workers. It is expected to have nine teams [illegible] for luncheon. After the campaign is over. The crowd may become so large that it will be necessary to serve the dinner in one of the churches. For the present, however, the workers will meet at the Y. W. C. A.

Our First Showing of the Season's LATEST SPRING

Millinery Styles

Will Occur on March 17th

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Music--White's Orchestra Everybody Cordially Invited

Mr. Ridenour To Leave Portsmouth

Charles W. Ridenour, former secretary of religious work at the Y. M. C. A., and who was recently appointed as assistant to M. H. F. Kinsey to help in the Boy Scout work, has announced his plan of taking up a new work at Ranager, W. Va. It is among the heart of the coal fields of West Virginia and the building is now being erected. It will be a three-story institution, built along the same lines as the local R. R. Y. M. C. A., with the exception that it will not contain sleeping rooms and a dining room. Mr. Ridenour will leave this city the first of April to enter upon his new duties. He will move his family to the place later, as the Spruce Coal company which planned the Y. M. C. A., will build him a home. Mr. Ridenour will be the secretary of the new institution. There is no church in that vicinity and the church work will be one of the main things carried on by Mr. Ridenour.

The first thought of changing positions came to Mr. Ridenour when he was in Pittsburgh four weeks ago. At that time he met Ira Shaw, international secretary of the Industrial department of the Y. M. C. A., and he asked Mr. Ridenour to take the place. He decided two weeks ago to accept the position, but did not want his plans made known at the time but at the meeting held in Georg Appel's office Friday night Mr. E. F. Ridenour, of the local Y. M. C. A., touched on the subject and this resulted in Mr. Ridenour divulging his plans.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thornton, of Second street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a ten pound baby girl, which came to bless their home late Thursday afternoon. The father was kept busy all day Friday receiving the congratulations of his hosts of friends all over the city. The little girl has been named Jane by the fond parents, whose family now consists of a son and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Willis, of Scioto ville, are the proud parents of a nine-pound son that arrived Thursday. This makes C. C. Hemminger, of sundry avenue, a grandfather, and he is the proudest man in the East End.

The stork, a frequent in the home this day, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe White and left a fine baby daughter. The new arrival has been named Hazel Louise.

A son was born Friday evening to Mr. and Mrs. William Dawson, of North street. Mr. Dawson is employed by the Portsmouth Steel Company.

The stork found his way up Brewery Hollow and left a bright little fourpound boy at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Sanvel. Mrs. Sanvel was formerly Miss Belvie Mossbach. Mr. Sanvel is an employee at the Harlanson-Walker brick yard in the East End.

Twin babies and a girl, were born Saturday morning to Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Scioto Furnace, Saturday.

Drs. W. E. Gault and E. C. Jackson, will leave Sunday for Charleston, where they will join a party of investors, who will leave Monday for De Soto, Florida.

THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, March 13. The last sale of stocks today was:

Amalgamated Copper, 44¼.
American Beet Sugar, 21.
American Sugar Refining, 109.
Baltimore & Ohio, 88¾.
Chesapeake & Ohio, 52¾.
Illinois Central, 108¾.
Louisville & Nashville, 137.
New York Central, 90½.
Norfolk & Western, 103¾.
Pennsylvania, 111¼.
United States Steel, 64¼.
United States Steel, Preferred, 99⅞.
Western Union, 63⅝.

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., March 14. Wheat: May, 93⅜ to 93¼; July, 88¼; Sept., 87¾.

Corn: May, 67⅝ and ¾ to 67⅝; July, 67¼; Sept., 66⅞.

Oats: May, 39¾ to 39⅝ and ¾; July, 39½.

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Wheat: May, 93⅝; July, 88⅝ to ¾; Sept., 87⅞.

Corn: May, 67⅝; July, 67⅝; Sept., 66¾.

Oats: May, 39½; July, 39½; Sept., 38.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

Chicago, March 14. Hogs: receipts, 10,000; market, strong; light yorkers, $8.65 to $8.75; heavy yorkers, $8.45 to $8.60; pigs, $7.10 to $8.65.

Cattle: receipts, 200; market, steady; beeves, $7.15 to $9.70; Texas steers, $7.10 to $8.15; stockers and feeders, $5.60 to $8.10; cows and heifers, $3.50 to $8.50; calves, $7 to $10.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,000; market, steady; sheep, native, $4.80 to $6.30; lambs, native, $6.80 to $7.75.

Pittsburgh, March 14. Hogs: receipts, 1,200; heavy yorkers $8.30; light yorkers, $8.30; pigs, $9.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 1,000; top sheep, $6.25; top lambs $8.

Calves: receipts, 100; top, $11.

Hospital News

Benjamin Hughes was dismissed from the Hospital Saturday. He has been ill with pneumonia.

Ella Baird, of High street, was discharged from the hospital Saturday. She was a victim of rheumatism.

There was no improvement Saturday in the condition of Trail Sullen, who recently went under the knife.

Members of Judge Blair's Sunday school class sent a number of dozen roses to the hospital Saturday, in memory of Mr. J. J. Barnes. Flowers sent a bunch of rose buds.

Judge and Mrs. J. W. Bannon and Miss Charlotte Bannon and Miss Leona Labold arrived home Saturday from a delightful trip to Havana, Cuba, and the West Indies.

Blackberry Alley Scene Of Big Row

Police officers were called to the vicinity of Blackberry alley, near the N. & W. passenger station, Friday evening, to put a quietus on a row which had started between Jess Hurd, a dusky belle of the North End, and Hilliard Williams and Bert Vaughn, N. & W. laborers. The trouble occurred at the Sam Johnson home, where the party had congregated to have a drunken revel.

The three mentioned above and William Banks, another N. & W. negro laborer, were rounded up by the police and lodged in the city prison, where a disorderly charge was registered against them. Banks was acquitted at the hearing Saturday morning and released by the mayor, but the other two men and Miss Hurd were each fined $10 and costs. A warrant will also likely be issued for Sam Johnson, charging him with running a disorderly house.

The mayor has transcribed the cases of Joseph Henkel and Joseph Dill, saloonists, to the court of common pleas, at the requests of the defendants' counsel, Milner, Miller & Scarl, who have appealed the cases to the higher court. The necessary bond has been filed with the mayor, which is sufficient to satisfy the judgment.

The mayor also transcribed the cases of Harvey Powell and Homer Ware, negroes, bound over to the grand jury Friday morning on the charge of entering and robbing Clarence Cropper's saloon, on Eleventh street, last Tuesday night. White pleaded guilty, but Powell maintains his innocence.

The serious illness of the wife of John Stratton, an Earlytown resident, caused a postponement of his arrest on a charge of stealing two quilts from James Hughes, Friday evening. The officers found that Mrs. Stratton was ill almost unto death and they appealed to the mayor for instructions. The mayor decided that the offender was not as serious as that of a human life, and he ordered the officers to wait until there was some change in the condition of Mrs. Stratton. The quilts stolen were valued at $7.

An attorney for Mrs. William Easley, of New Boston, was in police court Friday evening, looking up the record of Easley. His connection with a recent assault on a fellow mill employee will be embodied in the petition for divorce which Mrs. Easley plans to file soon.

TO RAISE OWN TOMATOES

The forty stockholders of the Fullerton Canning Company, of Fullerton, Ky., have agreed to raise tomatoes this summer in order to keep their plant in operation.

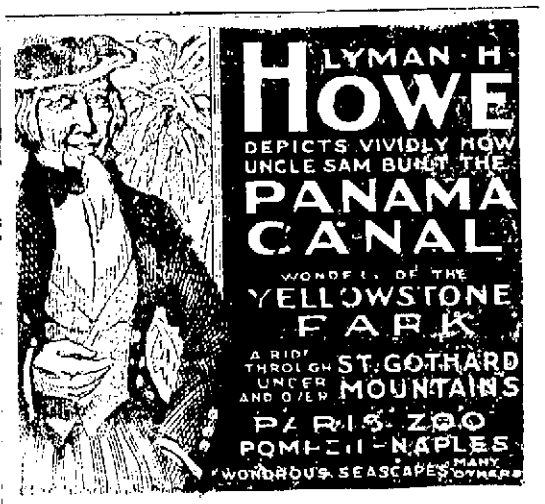
Inability to get tomatoes last summer caused the firm to close down its plant. Capt. A. W. Davis is president of the company and A. R. Morton secretary and treasurer. An effort will be made to increase the capital stock from $6,000 to $10,000.

LEGAL NOTICE

Isaac Wells, whose residence is unknown, is hereby notified that Minnie Wells has filed her petition against him for divorce and alimony and custody of children in Case Number 83566 of the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio. That in said petition is asked for divorce she charges defendant, Isaac Wells, with being guilty of habitual drunkenness for more than three years last past and extreme cruelty. The said Isaac Wells will further take notice that in her petition she alleges as the real estate belonging to them as follows: Situated in Clay Township, Scioto County, [illegible]

Lot No. 55 in the village of Yorktown, as the same is on the plat of said village, recorded in Plat Book No. 2, at page 55, to which reference is hereby made, and being the same premises conveyed to the said John W. Stagner by Levi D. York and wife by deed dated [illegible] 3rd, 1898, recorded in said Scioto County, Ohio, Record of Deeds, Vol. 80, page [illegible]. That she will ask the court to decree the same to her as her separate alimony, and that said cause will be for hearing on or after the 26th day of April, 1914.

MINNIE WELLS.
Blair & Kimble, Plaintiff's Attorneys
adv. March 14-6 Sat.



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THE RUSH TOWNSHIP REPORT.

The report of a state examiner upon school affairs in Rush township, this county, as published in The Times on Wednesday, revealed a shocking disregard of public interests upon the part of recent members of the board of education of the township, that closely bordered upon criminal disregard of the rights of the taxpayers of the township, if the findings of the state examiner are correct. It certainly looks as though there should be further inquiry into the matter by the grand jury to determine if there has been violation of the letter of the law. That the spirit of the law has been violated, is apparent, from the report of Mr. DeWeese.

Unhappily the Rush township condition is not an isolated, though it is an aggravated instance, of the manner in which school affairs in Ohio have been frequently manipulated for private interests. In many, many cases men have sought positions on boards of school trustees for no other object than to promote the welfare of some relative or close friend who was seeking a position as teacher in the schools. Merit has cut no figure in the face of "pull" or relationship to members of the board. Such cases have not been confined to the rural districts, the city school boards furnishing possibly as many, if not more, instances of such favoritism and violation of the spirit of the law and the rights of the people of the various communities.

We understand that under the new school law adopted by the recent session of the legislature, provision is made to guard against this injustice and to elevate the profession of teaching so that worth and merit and not "pull" will count in securing positions. If so, the benefits in this instance alone will be incalculable.

A Philadelphia lecturer gives a long list of attributes to be desired in an ideal wife. Very well but where is she going to find a husband worth while.

THAT DEPOT PROJECT AGAIN.

When Huntington wanted a new depot from the C. & O. railway, she did not sit down in sack cloth and ashes and bewail the fates that gave her railroad facilities not in keeping with the size and dignity of the city. Not much. Her commercial organizations got busy and kept busy, making such a loud and continuous noise in the land that it finally penetrated the inner sanctum of the highest official of the C. & O. railway system. The result was that Huntington not only got the promise of a new depot but the present generation saw that promise fulfilled. Huntington now has a large, modern and pretentious depot.

Of course we made a noise, or something that sounded like it, a few years ago and we got a prompt and generous promise from the Norfolk & Western that Portsmouth would be taken care of. The prospect held out was so alluring that we all sat down in gasping amazement to contemplate the vista opened to our delighted eyes and simply let it go at that. Whenever we became restive, the master diplomatists of the N. & W. fed us a little soothing syrup in the way of "revised plans" and new promises and again we were lulled to sweet dreams of the depot that was to be but alas, which never materialized.

It seems to us that Portsmouth deserves better treatment from the Norfolk & Western than that. Railroad officials admit the necessity. They have said themselves that the plans for a new depot have been approved and money laid aside at one time for the building. Why then the delay?

No one will ever make a fortune teaching the tango by mail.

PLEASING NEWS INDEED.

It was pleasing news, not only to the congregation of the First Presbyterian church, but also to the citizens of the town in general that the Rev. John W. Dunning has decided not to accept a call to the pastorate of a large Chicago church and will remain in Portsmouth. For Rev. Mr. Dunning is the sort of a minister any community should be glad to have come into their midst and more than sorry to see leave for other fields. A sincere, earnest gentleman, gifted and scholarly, he presents religious truths in a human sort of way that is at once forceful, dignified and appealing.

We congratulate the town that Rev. Mr. Dunning is to remain with us.

What with carpenters, plumbers, concreters and electricians, we are living the strenuous life down at The Times office these days. But we will have a mighty convenient office when we get through. And we hope to be able to smile and print right along while the repairs are being made and the floods again cover our town.

Radium has been suggested as a cure for warts but it will never entirely replace the old time cure recommended for a black eye in a grave yard at midnight.

THAT POST OFFICE JOB.

We do not know whether or not our esteemed partner, who is now sojourning down in North Carolina, is worrying about that post office job. If we can find out we will send word immediately over to the paragraph chap on the Morning Blade, who seems so deeply concerned over the matter that we fear he will go into a rapid decline if he does not get some first hand, definite information soon. As for ourselves, we are certain. We don't want the job. We never wanted the job. We would not accept the job if it came our way for the asking. We are very well satisfied with our job on this organ of the uplift and we want no other, which might interfere with the development of the paper along the lines marked out.

The normal head, we learn from a scientific magazine contains about 80,000 hairs. Our idea of nothing worth doing is making a hair census.

THE MAYOR TO BE COMMENDED.

The action of Mayor Frick in insisting that saloon men must obey the license law provisions, is one that ought to commend itself to all. The law provides that liquor shall not be sold to intoxicated men, to habitual drunkards or to minors. It is a good law. It should be obeyed, and the saloon keeper who wilfully disregards its provisions, should be made to pay the penalty for his actions. If he persists in his violation of the law, his license should be taken away from him.

Right now we are testing out, in Ohio, the regulated saloon. If it is a failure, if saloon men can violate, with impunity, the law, as has been done in days gone by, in many quarters, there will undoubtedly go up a cry for state wide prohibition. And it will have as supporters many who have hitherto believed it to be impracticable, but who would be willing to give it a test, in view of the failure of the license law.

Control yourself just a little while longer. All Fool's Day is but a short space in the van.

A BOOK WORTH WHILE.

If you are tired of the dreary drivel of the "problem" novel, and want to spend a few hours with a really worth-while story, we commend "Pollyanna" written by Eleanor Arthur, to you. It is all wool and a yard wide.

We really think our excellent mayor misdirected the latest official product of his letter factory. It should have gone to our lawyers instead of to our commissioners, and he should have commanded them, in the name of the law, to keep the peace and allow the bridge to be built. No charge for the tip.

THOSE INDICTMENTS.

We do not think that any sensible man will take seriously the indictment of certain Democratic leaders because they passed the hat among their associates and collected a little money to send out literature applauding or defending their governmental activities. It is so apparent that the whole affair is just a little political buncombe, engineered by a itle man named Turner who got the swelled head and thought he was a great man because he was so fortunate as to shine in the light reflected by Attorney General Hogan in the legislative graft prosecutions a few years ago. This Turner person is now trying to make a noise in hopes that the Republicans will nominate him for attorney general of the state, and he imagines that he will advance his chances by hanging an indictment tag on a few Democrats.

In so far as the press bureau is concerned, that is an institution that has never commended itself to us. It would be a good thing to abolish them all, democratic, republican and bull moose. It would be a terrible loss, however, to some of our republican editorial friends not over a thousand miles from Portsmouth if the daily sheaf of roasts on Gov. Cox and his administration failed to come in on the noon mail.

A NOTE OF WARNING.

There is no office in the county that comes closer to the people and is of more importance to the taxpayer than that of commissioner, and this importance will be vastly increased during the next few years by reason of the vast sum to be expended, under a special levy, upon the improvement of roads. We mention this with the suggestion that the voters scan closely the applicants who are seeking, or who may seek, nominations for this office. We hope to see good, clean, capable men nominated by the various political parties, and then, if the voters would lay aside party feeling for a moment and select the three best qualified for the office from the list offered, they would be doing splendid work for themselves and for the community at large. The political party that does not offer good men for the office deserves to have them defeated.

In the same connection we would like to see citizens of Portsmouth take more interest in the commissionership nominations. The city pays a large proportion of the taxes, yet it has paid little attention to the manner in which taxes are spent or who is spending them.

The real time for activity is before the nominations are made, not after. With all political parties presenting good men, there will be no danger of a mistake.

Lest you forget now is a good time to fill your cisterns.

THE NEWSPAPERS.

We are not disposed as a rule to "blow our own horn", but we cannot forbear saying that we believe the two newspapers here offer our merchants a singularly attractive proposition when it comes to advertising their wares. The Evening Times and the Morning Blade, covering their respective fields thoroughly, reach almost the entire buying public within a radius of twenty miles or more. We do not know of a community anywhere where so large a proportion of the public reads the newspapers, and reads them so thoroughly. On top of that advertising rates, compared with other corresponding places, are not at all high. In fact they are lower than in most places.

The wise merchant knows that steady, consistent and persistent advertising means more profit to himself. If you approach advertising as a sort of charity proposition, if you think you are just advertising to "help the papers along," for goodness sake, don't advertise. It will not do you any good and we do not want your money. Ours is a business proposition the same as yours. We think we have the "goods," and that we give you value received and then some, for your money. Otherwise, as we say, we do not want your money.

THE NATIONAL REGULATOR.

It is a "heart rendering" shock to us to observe that Collier's, which sets itself up as the regulator of all the rest of mankind, including the patent medicine men, is now printing a novel of the character of "World's End." Did the editor of Collier's ever stop to think of the possibilities for evil in such a story? Or, thinking, did he just figure on the circulation possibilities of it?

It's safer to imitate birds by singin' than flyin'.

Three Thirteeners

There were three local citizens who stepped around lightly and cautiously Friday, the 13th, as they celebrated their birthday anniversaries on this unlucky day if we would believe in superstition.

They were Merle Dudait, Charley Brunner and Walter Norris. They were exceedingly careful about breaking a looking glass, walking under a ladder or getting out of the wrong side of the bed. As the day passed off uneventfully they haven't much regard for that bugaboo Cal. Superstition.

Woodmen Meeting

The Modern Woodmen of America at their meeting Friday night, initiated one candidate, C. H. Hughes. Eight applications were received. The degree team is getting ready to go to Toledo in June to take part in the annual state encampment. It is now under the direction of Earl Puckett.

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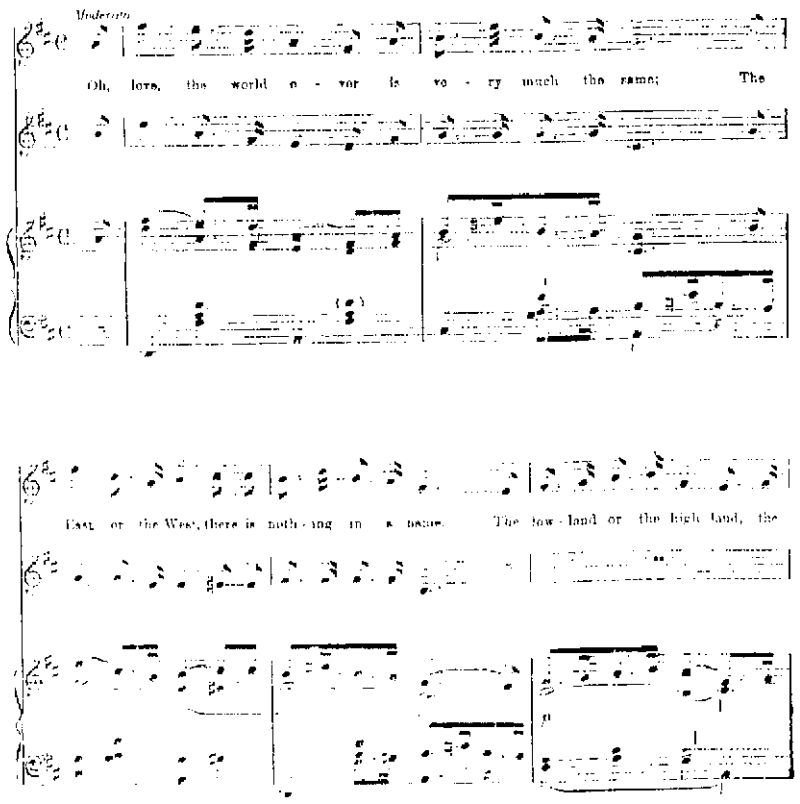

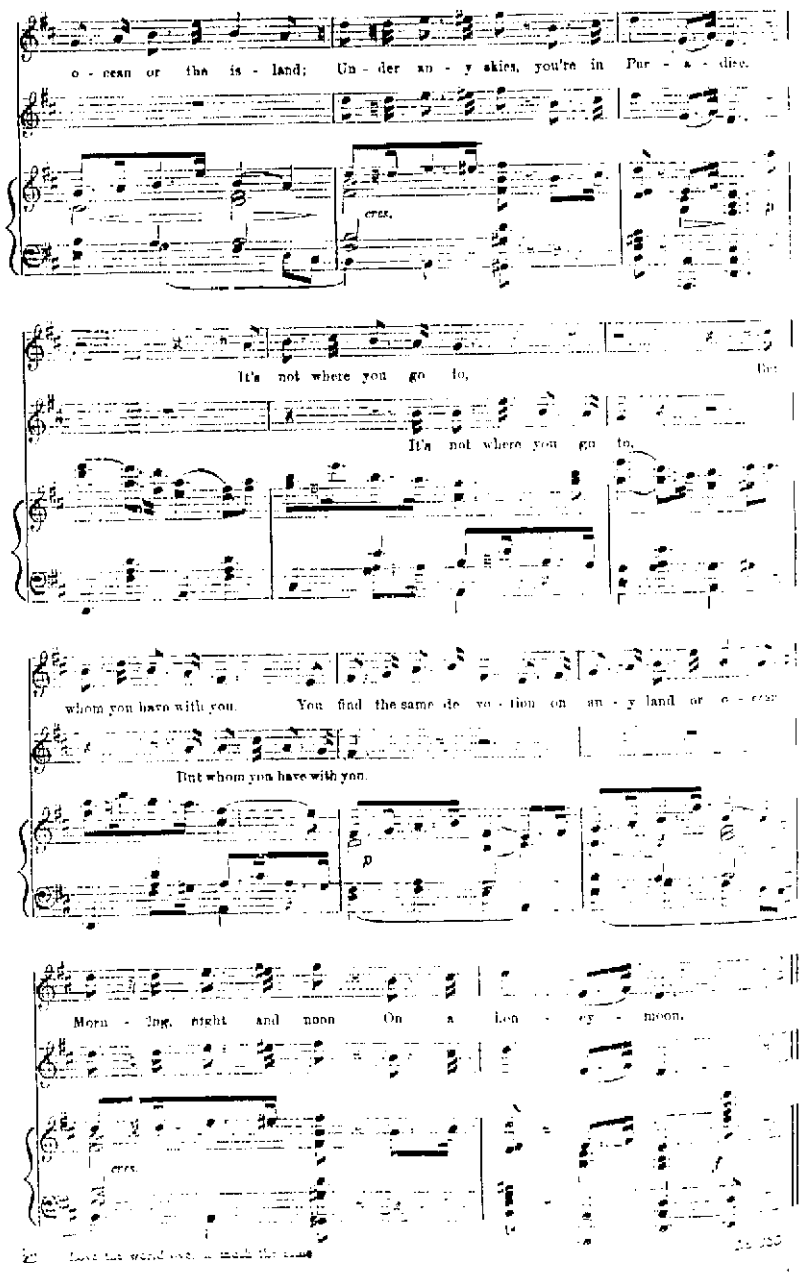

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FOR SALE—5 room cottage 1219 Gay. $1925.

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LEW LOWRY. 13-2

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LEW LOWRY. 13-2

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FOR RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms with bath, gas and electric light. All modern conveniences. 1514 East 5th St. or phone Y 577. 10tf

FOR RENT:—2 rooms furnished for light house keeping, with gas. 1614 Robinson Ave. 9tf

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FOR RENT: -Rooms, 717 9th. Phone Y 736. 4tf

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FOR RENT: -Furnished room, half square from post office, 722 6th St. Phone X 678. 9tf

FOR RENT—2 large unfurnished rooms, southwest corner 7th and Brown. 11-4

FOR RENT:—House in rear of lot. Inquire 1821 7th. 12tf

FOR RENT: 5 room flat on Court St. Water and gas. Apply Hotel Portsmouth. Phone 193. 12-3

FOR RENT:—4 rooms upstairs, Washington St. between 3rd and 4th. Gas and water. J. M. Augustin. 12-3

FOR RENT:—2 nicely furnished rooms with bath for light housekeeping 2327 Grant. Phone A 1287. 14-2

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping, upstairs, water and gas, suitable for two people. Inquire 1233 12th St. Phone B 1318. 12tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping at 113 Jefferson. 12tf

FOR RENT:—Room upstairs; bath, 822 Chillicothe. 12-3

FOR RENT:—6 room house on rear of lot, $10 per month to right party. See John Kileoyne. 1553 11th. 12-3

FOR RENT: 2 rooms furnished for light house keeping, 1722 17th. 13-3

FOR RENT:—4 room flat, near corner front and Scioto. Phone 216. 13-6

FOR RENT:—4 newly furnished house keeping rooms. 707 8th. 13-3

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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Miss Dolly Wise:—Would you please tell me the name of the agent of the Studebaker car?

INQUISITIVE.

Will J. Friel. Yes to the other question.

Dear Miss Wise:—Could you give me the name and address of party whom I could obtain a book of instructions on dancing, that is, the new dances—Hesitation Waltz and Tango especially?

TANGO MAD.

See Prof. B. J. Fisher. If you get a book don't "hesitate" too long, or the leaves might wither.

Dear Miss Wise: I am a very good looking young man, although somewhat short. Somehow I don't seem to be heavy with the girls, is it because I am short. Have good habits, don't keep late hours and always worked steady. Why is it when I get a nice looking girl some tall fellow cuts me out? Please, O, please, Miss Wise tell me how to make a lasting hit?

TED.

No girl likes a "short-skate," Ted. Open up your pocket book once in awhile and show the girls a good time, and they will flock around you like flies around a molasses jug. Try it and see.

Dear Miss Wise:—What would you suggest to serve for a St. Patrick's day party, and what games would be appropriate to play.

HOSTESS.

Little lettuce sandwiches cut in shamrock shape; green candies; green ice cream. In fact the confectioners are showing all kinds of things for St. Patrick's. If you serve salad it is pretty in triangle boxes made of three long salted wafers tied about with narrow green satin ribbon. As for games, "Forty-Five" is good, or even "Rum;" any card game that will keep people amused without too much seriousness to mar the good time.

Dear Dolly:—Do you know where I can get a beau. All my girl friends have a beau and it nearly breaks my heart cause I haint. Please advise.

SUSIE.

What about your elbows?

Wheelersburg, O., Dear Miss Wise:—We have been reading some of your good advice in the Times and I believe you can help us, as we are two old bachelors of Wheelersburg and we have never had a girl. We are just now at the right age to inquire about matrimony. We are good looking, plenty of money, also two good farms and in want of a wife. Please advise how we can win them. Now, dear Dolly, please answer at once as we are very anxious.

TWO LONESOME YOUTHS.

Go after Dot and Dimples.

Wheelersburg, O., Dear Miss Wise: There are so many nice fellows here especially old bachelors. Please tell us how we can win them. We are very lonesome indeed.

DOT AND DIMPLES.

I refer you to the two lonesome youths of that burg.

Cove, O., March 10. Dear Miss Wise: Please suggest a pretty way for a girl of seventeen to wear her hair and also how long should I wear my dresses and what would be a pretty way to have them made. I weight one hundred and sixty four. Do you think that is too much for a girl of my age to weigh. Is my spelling and writing good?

MISS PEARL.

Part it on the side or front and roll it low on the neck. Wear your dresses quite long and make them plain as possible and you will not look so fat. You are rather heavy for your age. Your writing is not bad but your spelling is very, very poor for a 17 year old girl.

Lonesome I. [illegible] some of your girl friends to introduce you to some nice boys. That's the best and only way to get acquainted with the right sort.

Mrs. R. B.:—There used to be such a place in Portsmouth but I am unable to locate it just now. If I can find out within the next few days will let you know.

Want-To-Know:—There must be something wrong with your health as no sane woman would think as you do. Would advise you to see a physician at once. I judge you are suffering from nervous trouble. When you have a good husband and a comfortable home what more do you want? If you had several children to take care of perhaps you wouldn't have so much time to get into mischief.

Friendless Girl:—You can have plenty of friends if you just be as nice and kind as you know how and don't be sensitive. Your friends are right. Don't worry about what others say, do what you think is right yourself. Stop crying and make yourself useful in the world. If you don't feel like going out get a good book or magazine and improve your mind.

Dear Dolly:—Do you think it is right for a married man to go out often evenings without his wife? My husband and I disagree upon this subject. He says a man must be allowed some freedom and while I agree upon this, still, I think that the majority of men spend too many nights of the week away from their wives.

YOUNG WIFE.

I consider that a married man ought to be allowed some independence, but do not think it is right for a man to be out every night having a good time if his wife must stay home. He should take her with him wherever it is possible but let him have a lodge night once a week and another evening with his men friends if he wishes. A man doesn't appreciate a home nearly as much if he spends every night there.

Dear Dolly:—I have a little daughter that stutters badly. I should like to know if there is a cure for this. If you know of anything that will help, please advise me.

WORRIED MOTHER.

This affliction is curable. There are schools in which the most inveterate stammerer may be relieved in part or entirely. First let the girl see what may be done at home by the exercise of resolute will. Let her take in a long breath before beginning to speak and articulate slowly, giving out the breath as slowly as she speaks. Let her study to be calm and never to hurry her words. Do not let her feel that you are ashamed of or annoyed with her. Encourage her to breathe and speak deliberately. Try this for a month and your little daughter will be almost, if not entirely cured.

SOCIETY

The regular meeting of the Culture Club was held in the High school building at Lucasville on Thursday evening, March 12. This is the new literary society organized in Lucasville some time ago by the young people of that community.

The name, Culture Club, was selected. Colors, scarlet and gray. Flower, red carnation, and the motto, "They Can, Who Think They Can."

The following officers were elected: President—Carl Appel. Vice President—Gladys Moore. Secretary-Treasurer—Clyde Brewer. Critic—Blanche Keck. Chaplain—Earl Moulton. Executive Committee—Edith Jones, Florence Keyser, Neil Dull, John Alley, Charles Zeller.

The executive committee has charge of the programs which are given every three weeks, followed by a business meeting.

On Thursday evening, in the absence of the president the meeting was in charge of Miss Moore, vice president.

The following program was rendered:

Current Events—Blanche Keck.
Recitation—Vivian Brewer.
Song by Quartet—Miss Moore, Miss Jones, Miss Keyser, Mr. Alley.
Mock Trial Before Judge Charles Zeller, in which Roy Carter was tried for the murder of John Alley. Prosecuting Attorney, Paul Appel; Defense Attorney, Earl Moulton; Jury, Clyde Brewer, Leo S. Dull, Lloyd Moulton, Roy Carter, Paul Appel, Ralph Wolfe, Ed Wolfe, Ed Keck, Ed Keyser, Frank Keyser, Frank Dull, Ed Dull, Ed Alley, Ed Appel, Ed Jones, Ed Moulton, Ed Zeller, Ed Carter, Ed Brewer, Ed Moore, Ed Appel, Ed Keck, Ed Keyser

SOCIETY

The engagement of Mr. Russell Anderson, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Anderson, and Miss Ruth Pontius, the charming daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles Pontius, of this city, was announced yesterday at a beautiful party at the home of Miss Helen Jackson, in Fremont. Miss Pontius is known to many in this city, having visited several times at the Anderson home. She is a charming young woman, a graduate of O. W. U., Delaware, where she was the splendid young man of her choice. Mr. Anderson is a young man of sterling traits, being connected in business with his father, Mr. W. E. Anderson, in the Anderson Brothers and Company Dry Goods store, and is too well and favorably known for any comment. The coming young bride will be welcomed to Portsmouth society.

Mrs. Bessie Feyler and Mrs. Jessie Coulson were in charge of the Big Sister sale this afternoon at Hirsch's store.

Mrs. W. S. Walker and daughter, Miss Louise, went to Waverly this morning to visit over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Schoenberger, parents of Mrs. Paul Walker.

Miss Helen Dunn will come home from Western College, Oxford, for her spring vacation.

Miss Marie Baker came home last night from Sweetbriar school, Va., accompanied by Miss Charlotte Kirker of Paris, Ill., Miss Juliette Kirker, of Ripley, who came up Friday accompanied by her sister, Miss Elizabeth Ward, of South Dakota, and together they will return Sunday to their studies at Sweetbriar.

Gerald Dick, of Washington C. H., is coming next week to visit his mother, Mrs. Cornelia Baker, during his spring vacation.

Mrs. G. E. Gibbs and daughter, Miss, have returned from Hamilton, where they went to attend the funeral of Mrs. Gibbs' mother.

Mrs. Earl Rardin will be hostess to the next meeting of the Young Ladies' Sewing Club, March 27th.

Mrs. J. P. Smith's guests, Mrs. Nicolet and daughter, Minnie, have gone home to Stockdale after a week's visit at the Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Walker went to Waverly today to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McCann.

The members of Ohio Valley Division 488, G. I. A., whose birthdays are in February and March, will entertain all of the members and friends of the G. T. A. on the evening of March 17th at Richards's hall.

Sections One and Two of the Second Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society held a business session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Smith, on High street, with seven present. Arrangements were made to make gowns for Hospital hospital.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. B. G. Harris, in Clay.

Blanche Kennedy, who is a student at the Portsmouth College of Music, has gone home to Hamden for a week end visit.

Ruth Stout and sister, Mrs. Hazel and son, Kenneth, of Rome, spent Sunday with relatives here. Mrs. Tracy will come to Portsmouth to visit Mrs.

and Mrs. Irvin Ross, of Washington C. H., are the guests of both relatives and friends. Children are afflicted with chicken pox.

Mrs. R. L. Watson, of Chillicothe, are the guests of relatives. They will visit friends before returning.

Williams will come home next Thursday from Lafayette College, Easton, Pa.

The Afternoon Five Hundred Club has deferred all meetings until after Easter.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of Bigelow Methodist church will give a St. Patrick's Kensington next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Walker, where Mr. Clooney de Bruin will sing and Mrs. Lena Kline Reed will give readings.

Mrs. Harry Knauss (Dorothy Robertson) is coming home tomorrow from New York to spend two weeks with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Chas. Robertson, and also to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knauss.

Mr. Elliott, who came here to buy shoes from the Excelsior Shoe Company for a large firm in Philadelphia, has returned to his Eastern home.

Mrs. Mary Dougan, who came to help care for her son, Leo Dougan, who has been ill with diphtheria, will leave this evening for her home in Roanoke, Va., leaving her son on the road to recovery.

Mrs. McCurdy's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school will be entertained next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Coleman, on Highland avenue. The assisting hostesses will be Mesdames W. W. Donaldson, Harry Donaldson, Vernon Davidson, Albert Dunn, Deacon, Early and Egbert.

Mrs. Charles Rice has returned from Columbus where she visited at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Shumway.

The Clover club will meet next Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Philip Wickerham, who will be assisted by Mrs. Edgar Appel. The program will be given as follows:

Music—Miss Alice Dever and Miss Persis Pursell.

Scientific Household Management—Miss Silcox.

Handwoven Coverlets and Patchwork Quilts—Mrs Dora Miller.

Metamorphoses—Miss Gertrude Davidson.

Miss Crisonberry will give a talk at the Y. W. C. A. vesper services tomorrow afternoon. Mrs Win Nye will sing a solo. The classes of Miss Edna Marting and Miss Nellie Wendelken, of the German Methodist Sunday school, will serve the supper.

The meeting in the interest of the Day Nursery planned for next Tuesday afternoon will be postponed until Thursday afternoon when everybody interested in the Day Nursery is invited.

Mrs. J. T. Carey's guest, Mrs. John Crocket, has gone home to Bluefield, W. Va.

Mrs. W. W. Donaldson has returned from Sandy Springs where she went to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Kenyon.

C. C. Norris, who has been ill at his home on Eleventh street, has recovered and returned to his work.

The Reading Circle of the Bigelow Methodist Woman's Home Missionary society will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Breece on Eighth street.

Mrs W. B. Alisman will go up to Huntington next Wednesday to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Harry Harvey.

The home of Mrs. Frank Johnson on Offnere street was the scene of a party of young people yesterday afternoon in celebration of the thirteenth birthday anniversary of her son, Daily. The rooms were decorated in ferns and carnations. The afternoon was spent in games and music after which ice cream, cake and fruit was served. Among the guests were Edith Morris, Lottie McMillen, Minnie Simpson, Ida Bell Lawson, Marie Rochniker, Carrie Nelson, Consuella Johnson, Madeline Taylor, Dorothy Hawksley, Fannie Ruggles, Lona Johnson, William Rochniker, James Nelson, Owen Arthur, Henry White, Daily and Chester Johnson, and little John Keys.

Elbert McKinley Johnson and Miss Mabel May Lyle, who were married by Squire Shakespeare last Wednesday, left Thursday for Illinois to spend their honeymoon with the bride's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. William Walker.

The Friday Afternoon Social Club will be entertained next Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. T. Breece on Eighth street.

Mr. Charles Reamer passed his fiftieth birthday anniversary yesterday and was presented with a cluster of beautiful carnations from the employees at the Brunner store and was also the recipient of a shower of post cards.

Mrs. Ralph Calvert's cousin, Miss Maude Matthews, has gone home to Columbus.

The Standard Bearers of Trinity Methodist church met last evening at the home of Miss Ruth Crawford, where the assistants were Katie McMillen, Marie McCall, Edith Zuhars and Mildred Williams. There were forty-four present. The program was rendered as follows

Devotions Harold Byron.
Reading - Audrey Nourse.
Piano—Katie McMillen.

Arrangements were completed for the little play, "The Class Play," to be given next Friday evening, when candy will be on sale. Miss Katherine Dawson has been training the girls for this play, which promises to be a great success. The next regular meeting will be held at the home of Miss Helen Frowine the first Friday in April.

The Pique Daily Call has an account of the wedding of Miss Florence Mary Angle and Mr. Walter R. Bamber, as follows:

"The wedding of Miss Florence Mary Angle and Mr. Walter R. Bamber was a social event solemnized Tuesday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Mary F. Angle, mother of the bride, on West Greene street.

The Episcopal marriage service was read by the Rev. William H. Allison, rector of St. James Protestant Episcopal church, in the presence of 40 guests. The bride and groom were unattended. The ceremony took place in the bay window of the living room, which was banked with palms and lighted with cathedral candles. Prof. T. A. Hargreaves played the Mendelssohn wedding march, and during the ceremony and evening exquisite melodies.

"The bride wore a pretty gown of white batiste trimmed in cluny lace. She carried a cluster of Kilarney roses. She divided her bouquet among the unmarried guests.

"A two-course luncheon was served. The bridal table was decorated with pink candles and pink and white sweet peas. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Bamber, the Rev. and Mrs. William H. Allison, Mrs. W. H. Angle, C. L. Boynton and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Bamber. Other guests were served at small tables.

The home was attractively decorated with pink and white sweet peas and carnations. Mr. and Mrs. Bamber were the recipients of a handsome array of wedding presents. Mrs. Bamber is prominent in club circles and is a member of the Helen Hunt Circle. She was stenographer with the Cron-Kills Company for a number of years and has a large circle of friends. Mr. Bamber is a popular young business man and is superintendent of the Cron-Kills Company.

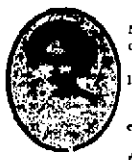
"Mr. and Mrs. Bamber left on Tuesday evening, at 10:20, over the Pennsylvania line, on a week or ten days' wedding trip to New York. For the present they will make their home with Mrs. Ella Hunter, on North Main street, until their new home is built.

"Two hundred announcement cards were sent out today. The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. James H. Bamber, of Detroit; Miss Helen Cavett, of Jackson, O.; Mrs. C. H. Brown and Mr. Reisman, Cincinnati.

LITTLE DISCUSSIONS OF LOVE AND MARRIAGE

BY BARBARA BOYD

The Too-Pervading Wife.



Like a young mother hen with her first chick, the New Bride was hovering about her husband as he donned coat and hat for the office.

"Do wear your overshoes," she cautioned, "it looks like rain."

The New Husband protested.

"Oh, yes," insisted the New Bride. "You may catch cold. And take an umbrella."

"Heavens! You might think we were expecting the deluge."

"But you don't want to get soaking wet. Are you wearing your heavy overcoat?"

"Yes," and rather than argue further, he took the umbrella. But as he went through the vestibule he kicked off the overshoes and stuck the umbrella in a corner. "Alison coddles me as if I were a baby, or as if I hadn't sense enough to take care of myself," he thought a bit impatiently, as he went out. His mind reverted to the breakfast, where she had insisted upon his drinking two cups of coffee when he only wanted one, and to last night's dinner, where she had prevailed upon him to eat well-done beef instead of rare, and to various other occasions where her personality had been dominant; and as he thought, the contraction of his brows deepened. "She means well. But love, a fellow don't want to be run entirely. He wants a little chance to do as he pleases." All the way to the office, he brooded over the unexpected trait in Alison's character.

Alison, too, was doing a little thinking. She had discovered the overshoes and umbrella in the vestibule, and for a minute she was both hurt and troubled; hurt that John had so plainly refused to heed her suggestions, and troubled for fear that he would suffer thereby.

But Alison was not obtuse. Neither had the trait of dominating become as yet like granite in her character. She sat down and did a little bit of thinking. "I have a way," she admitted to herself, "of wanting every one to do as I wish. I always seem to think my way is better than theirs. To be sure," and she had to laugh to herself, "I do think it is better. But perhaps people would rather have their own way once in a while, even though they suffer by it. And anyway," she concluded, philosophically, "they learn more that way than by always being directed." She arose from her brown study determined, hereafter, not to interfere,—too much,—with John.

As for John, he had pondered, off and on, during the day, upon the same problem. He came home to dinner, smiling a bit to himself over a plan he had in his mind.

"Let me give you another plate of soup," he said to Alison, as she finished her puree.

"I don't care for any more."

"Oh, yes, you ought to eat another plateful. It is awfully good. You don't eat enough any way." And he gave her a second helping.

"But I don't want any more," she protested.

"Eat it any way," insisted John. "Do you know," he went on, "I think you must be chilly. I'll get you a little wrap." He stepped into the hall, secured a small knit scarf and threw it over her shoulders.

"What in the world is the matter with you?" asked Alison, her eyes big with amazement. "I'm roasting now." And she impatiently threw the scarf in a chair.

"This meat is entirely too well-done for you. You ought to eat it rare." He rang the bell for the cook. "Broil Mrs. Andrews a piece of steak quite rare, please."

"Why, John, are you crazy?" asked Alison, fearful for the first time that perhaps John had been drinking.

John couldn't keep up the farce longer. He began to laugh. "No dear, but I was just thinking about those overshoes and that umbrella this morning."

Alison had the good sense and tact to join in the laugh.

"I've been thinking about them too," she admitted. "I know what you mean. I am going to try to break myself of that habit."

"You are a wise little woman," said John, when they rose from the table. "There is a difference, you know," he went on, as he slipped his arm about her waist, "between giving advice when it is asked for, and arbitrarily ruling another. No one wants his right to express his individuality taken from him."

"I'll never say overshoes or umbrella again," murmured Alison.

"And I'll take both tomorrow, though the sun is shining," affirmed John, kissing her.

Barbara Boyd.

MONEY TO LOAN.
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CRAWFORD TO BE CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

It is reported that E. A. Crawford, editor of the Peoples Defender at West Union, will soon announce his candidacy for the Democratic congressional nomination in the Sixth district. Mr. Crawford has been active in politics for many years, and was for merly state public printer. His candidacy will make three active candidates for the Democratic nomination, the other two being Senator J. I. Hudson and William A. Inman, both of this county.

Explosion On Bonne

The steamer Bonne, West Side ferryboat, blew out a cylinder head Saturday morning, toward noon. The damages to the boat and machinery threw the ferry out of commission. It was conservatively estimated that over three hundred West Siders were thus shut in the city. Some of them drove home by way of Lucasville. In the afternoon the steamer Peerless of the upper ferry, came to the rescue and made several trips. It is thought the Bonne will be disabled until Monday or Tuesday.

Runaway On Pike

Chris Sowers, a farmer who lives near Wheelersburg, was badly shaken up Friday when he was thrown from his buggy on Gallia pike near the Peebles trainway. Mr. Sowers was returning to his home from the city when the horse got scared at a passing street car. The animal darted to one side of the road with the buggy and broke both the shafts and turned the buggy over. Mr. Sowers jumped before it turned over or he might have been badly hurt. The horse continued its flight up Gallia pike to Conley's saloon where it was stopped by several men.

DIVORCE CASE CONTINUED

The suit in divorce of Gladys Easley against Willis Easley was partially heard in common pleas court Saturday morning. The evidence developed that the defendant was addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors; that he abused his wife and did not provide for her.

They were married in 1909, but have lived together but a few months during that time, although they made several attempts. They have been separated the last three or four years. The defendant is a stockholder at New Boston and he has been ordered to appear in court next Monday at 1 p. m. and give a reason for his actions toward his wife. W. K. Sprague, attorney for plaintiff.

Pin Boys Struck

Under the leadership of "Red" James, the pin boys at the Pike House bowling alley struck for higher wage Friday evening, but new boys were quickly secured to fill their places, and the strike was over so far as the management was concerned.

BUILDING PERMITS

A building permit was issued Saturday morning to Emory P. Hickey to construct a frame building at 1071 Grant street, the estimated cost of which is $200. Mr. Hickey will construct the building himself.

School Board Plans Repair Of Buildings

Initial steps preliminary to the calling of an election for a bond issue to cover cost of installing flush closets in school buildings were taken by the board of education Friday evening, when the building and repair committee was instructed to secure estimates of the cost of the installation of the toilets.

The board desires to have some adequate knowledge of what amount of money will be required before the bond issue is authorized. Only those buildings which have connection with sanitary sewers will be considered which limits the buildings which will be equipped to the lower Fourth street building, the Offnere street, and the Eleventh street building. The board will not take into consideration Second street and the Lawson building, because of the fact that it contemplates the abandonment of these buildings for school purposes within the near future.

It is also quite likely that instead of installing the toilets inside the buildings, a separate annex will be built to each building especially for that purpose, which will be connected with the main building by an enclosed passageway. They will do away with the large expense of installing ventilator shafts, as prescribed by the state board of health. Architect Devoss of this city, was employed to confer with the committee, and prepare plans for the new additions.

City Solicitor McCall was requested to advise the board as to its rights in connection with the Second street and Lawson buildings, as the sentiment of the board is overwhelmingly against the use of these buildings after the proposed new building is completed. Both of them are unsuited for school purposes, and if used indefinitely for such purposes, will have to be thoroughly overhauled and repaired to make them fit.

At a secret session held prior to the regular board meeting, the members of the board considered at some length the new building proposition, developments of which were not made public. However, a special meeting has been called for next Friday evening, at which time the matter will be discussed publicly. As soon as a definite conclusion is reached and the building and repairs committee approve estimates for costs of flush toilets, the board will be ready to call an election on the bond issue.

The board is already besieged with applications from leading architects all over the country who are desirous of preparing the plans for the new building.

In the matter of the compulsory vaccination of school children, the board shifted the responsibility where the members declared it rightfully belonged, with the board of health. In acting upon a letter from the mayor and resolutions from the Hempstead Academy of Medicine, both recommending compulsory vaccination, the board passed a resolution, requesting the board of health to issue the order, if it considers that there is a danger of a small pox epidemic, and assuring the protectors of that board that the board of education will cooperate in every way possible to enforce the order. The health board is also requested to denote what children should be vaccinated, as a large number of them have been vaccinated during the past few years.

The board acted favorably upon a petition filed by members of the Ry. Y. M. C. A., asking for the use of a room in the Terminal school building on Sunday for Sunday school purposes. A proviso was inserted, limiting the time until such a time as the leaders in the movement were able to secure another suitable room.

The board also indicated the granting of a petition from Scout Commissioner Kinsey for the use of a room in the Terminal building for Boy Scout purposes after the petition has been filed in the regular manner. The boys were locked out Friday afternoon because the principal of the building had not been advised to allow them to use it.

Spring vacation in the Portsmouth schools will be during the week beginning March 23rd, the board acting upon the recommendation of Superintendent Appel. During this week the building and repair committee will inspect all buildings to see what repairs should be undertaken during the summer vacation period.

Superintendent Appel was allowed the use of two rooms in the new high school building for two weeks during the summer months for normal school purposes. He was allowed the same privilege last year, and a large number of teachers in the local schools availed themselves of the opportunity for advanced study.

The board turned down the bill of Earl Arthurs for $15, for watching the Second street building during the first flood last year. The bill was presented by his attorney, William R. Sprague, who has announced that he will bring suit against the city for the amount. Arthurs was hired by the public safety department.

Clerk Hazelbeck read a letter from the Orient Encampment, of Odd Fellows, thanking the board for the courtesy in allowing them the use of the high school auditorium on July 14th, during the state encampment of the order.

The building and repair committee reported that it had authorized the purchase of 150 folding chairs for the high school auditorium being the only absentee.

Gospel Quartet Plans Big Time On Sunday

A Red Letter day in the history of the church is planned by the members and leaders of the German Methodist church, Sunday. All services will be in English. The Gospel Quartet, who are holding such successful social services there, will sing at all the meetings Sunday, including Sunday school at 9:45, morning and evening services at 10 and 7, and the meeting for men at 3:30.

Rev. Fischbeck and Dr. Morbeck will speak at the Sunday school. Rev. Repatzky will preach at the morning service and Dr. Morbeck in the evening.

At the meeting for men there will be a symposium of addresses on "The Christ-life."

As a preparation for these services an auto was used Friday and 50 calls were made.

The quartet sang this afternoon for the inmates of the Home for Aged Women and other institutions. The quartet will also have charge of the services this evening at Wesley Hall.

The services last night were especially helpful and yielded two conversions. Rev. Fischbeck preached last night and gave an especially helpful sermon on "Self Appreciation of Man." He emphasized the wonderful way in which this appreciation was shown and urged a like appreciation of God on the part of man.

The special services will be continued during the coming week.

Chased Truant Boy More Than 3 Hours

Marshal Will L. Davis, who also acts in the capacity of truant officer at New Boston, is certainly having his troubles these fine days. Friday afternoon many people thought that he was training for a Marathon race. Steve Islick, a little Hommman lad, who has a great habit of running off from school, left the Ohio avenue building Friday morning at recess. Truant Officer Davis was notified and he started on his trail. He first caught sight of him near the steel plant. The lad chanced to see the officer coming and made a get-away up the railroad tracks. At Stewartsville the officer thought he had the lad in his grasp, but when he turned the corner where he was to catch the lad he was missing, it was on the Gallia pike. He cut across the park towards the power house and then on down the river bank. This was where the truant officer lost track of him.

A friend told Mr. Davis that he had seen the lad on the river bank, and Davis started down for the scent. The lad saw him first and started up the steep bank, when it gave way with him. Davis, with a victorious smile on his face, marched the lad back to school, but the school had been dismissed a short time before. The chase lasted for over three hours and the marshal was all in. Shortly after taking the lad home he picked up John O'Connors at the Casino in the park and brought him to the village lockup.

Bartenders Will Meet

The regular bi monthly meeting of the Bartenders' union will be held Sunday afternoon at the union's headquarters on Second street. A full attendance of the members is desired.

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MANY MASONS COMING FOR BIG LOCAL EVENT

Solomon Council No. 79, Royal and Select Masons, will be host to a large number of visiting companions of the order from Cincinnati, Jackson, Ironton, Waverly, and other nearby cities on next Monday evening, when the annual inspection of the local council is to be held.

The particular magnet which will attract the visitors will be the conferring of the beautiful Super Excellent degree upon a large class of candidates. This is an elaborate exemplification of an Old Testament story, the missing link and crowning glory of ancient craft Masonry, in which a number of Portsmouth's most proficient Masonic workers take part. Their fame has spread abroad, attracting attention in years past. Great preparations are being made to entertain the visitors.

As representative of the Grand Council of Ohio, Illustrious Companion Nelson Williams of Hamilton, Ohio, Grand Deputy Master, will conduct the inspection. This is scheduled to start at 3:30 p. m. Monday afternoon, when Deputy Master Harry Johnson, and the regular officers of Solomon Council will confer the Royal and Select Masters' degree upon a class of candidates. The number in the class that will take the Super Excellent degree in the evening will be considerably large.

Preparations for the evening session are in charge of a committee headed by Past Thrice Illustrious Master John A. Ives. The ceremonies will conclude with an elegant banquet served by Caterer Adam Seel.

The committee in charge has sent out a neat folder invitation to all Council Masons, which reads as follows:

"Secret vault of Solomon Council, No. 79, R. & S. M., Portsmouth, Ohio. Greetings to all Royal and Select Masters wherever dispersed.

"Solomon Council, No. 79, R. & S. M., will confer the Royal and Select Masters' degree Monday, March 16th, 1914, at 3:30 p. m. Illustrious Companion Nelson Evans, grand deputy master, representative of the Most Illustrious Grand Master of the Grand Council of the State of Ohio will inspect the work.

"At 7 o'clock, immediately following the inspection, the beautiful and instructive degree of Super Excellent Master will be conferred. This degree is the missing link and crowning glory of ancient craft Masonry. It explains in detail some things that are vague without it and ingenuates reverence for and belief in the Only Living and True God.

"All Select Masons in good standing are entitled to receive this degree, without ballot.

"Candidates are requested to be at the Masonic Temple at 7 o'clock, p. m.

Super Excellent Master's Degree

First Section

Scene—Court of Zedekiah at Jerusalem. Heralds announce the attack on Jerusalem. Jeremiah, the prophet, pleads with the King. Gedeliah taken prisoner.

Cast of characters:
Zedekiah—W. B. Altsman.
Pashur—E. B. Campbell.
Zephaniah—Henry Scott, Jr.
Gedeliah—D. A. Grimes.
Tzedaz, H. P.—John Jones.
Jeremiah—John Peebles (Tiled)
First Keeper of Temple—W. D. Hosz.
Second Keeper of Temple—Geo. Gableman.
Third Keeper of Temple—John McMillan.
First Herald—G. W. Zettman.
Second Herald—J. W. Gableman.
Third Herald—D. E. Thomas.
Fourth Herald—F. M. Bargas.
Trumpeter—E. E. Knox.

Scene 2—Court of Nebuchadnezzar at Riblah. Nebuchadnezzar, King of Kodiah, establishes his court. Nebuzaradan reports the fall of Jerusalem and capture of Zedekiah. Zedekiah before Nebuchadnezzar. The judgment.

Cast of characters.
Nebuchadnezzar—Sam M. Johnson.
Zedekiah—W. B. Altsman.
Nobles of Court—Phil M. Streich, George Schmidt, Albert Zoellner, and Edgar F. Draper.
Nebuzaradan—W. E. Caston.
Capt. of Guard—W. D. Hosz.
Royal Guard.

Scene 3—Captives of Babylon. Bargas, the prophet—Harry Johnson.
Captives.

Lecture.

Master of Ceremony—William F. Zettman.

Banquet.

The officers of Solomon Council are: Thrice Illustrious Master, E. E. Knox; D. M., Harry Johnson; P. C. W., W. E. Clayton; Recorder, A. J. Fuller; Treasurer, W. C. Silcox; C. of G., John McMillan; C. of C., D. A. Grimes; Steward, George Gableman; Sentinel, A. J. Reinhard.

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Parsonage Plans

Trustees of the Trinity M. E. church held a meeting with Architect Arthur Devoss Friday night and approved the plans for the new $1000 parsonage they have decided to build. It will contain nine rooms on the upper two floors and will have four rooms in the basement. The building proper will be finished in roach texture tapestry brick and the entire lower floor will be finished in hardwood.

FOR PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

I shall be a candidate for Prosecuting Attorney of Scioto county, Ohio, subject to the will of the Republicans at the primary to be held August 11th, 1914. I [illegible] support and influence of my friends in nominating me. I pledge the duties faithfully [illegible] charge the duties of said office [illegible] on the very best of my ability.

George W. Sheppard.

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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I desire to this body the support of Scioto county that I will be a candidate before the nomination of Democratic Congress for the Republican primaries to be held on Tuesday, August 11, 1914. Your support will be highly appreciated and if elected I will do my duty faithfully.

W. O. SHALLY

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Cincy Reds May Get The Hamilton Team Says The Enquirer

The Enquirer of Saturday said: "President Robert W. Read, of the Ohio State league, was in Cincinnati yesterday and held a long conference with August Herrmann relative to the Cincinnati Club taking over the Hamilton team. Mr. Herrmann said that the matter would be taken up by the Red directors next week. It seems the greatest bar to the plan is the new rule compelling clubs to ask for waivers on players from Class AA first, then Class A and then, if not wanted, from Class B clubs. They believe it would take a month in some instances to get a player from one of the big leagues to a Class D league.

"President Read is hopeful, however, that the Cincinnati Club will enter into some agreement with the Hamilton Club, as it will materially strengthen the Ohio State League. Huntington is working with the Pittsburg Club under a similar agreement, and the Cleveland Club has its fingers in two of the Ohio State League clubs."

GET WISE, YOU GIRLS

Portsmouth, O., Mar. 13, 1914.
Dear Editor Times:—I have just returned (about a month ago) from a trip to Eastern cities and while there the rage for two colored stockings was on. I have never seen anything about it in your paper. It surprised me that the girls here have not as yet adopted it. Why not there it's the go! To see a fair young damsel come tripping along with a narrow slit-up bottoms skirt and a blue stocking showing from one side and a red one from the other. Why not put the girls who are watching for the new styles wise to it. I am surprised to think that girls who want to be first in rank in style have not adopted this. Why it's the style out there to wear hair the color of your suit. Publish something to that effect and just watch.

Yours,
JUSTTOOTUTWISE.

CITY HALL NEWS

The mayor is in receipt of a letter from Mrs. Charles Alfordson, of Lancaster, pleading that he remit the fine assessed against her husband a few weeks ago for fighting and disorderly conduct. Mrs. Alfordson says that she and nine children are destitute.

Thomas Haley, owner of a house at 1910 Robinson avenue, occupied by Chas. Lair, has been notified of the bad condition of a vault and cellar there, with instructions to have the condition remedied. Dr. W. W. Smith, the health officer, has also been notified of the complaint.

RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., March 14, 1914
(Observations taken at 8 a. m. 75th Meridian Time.)

	Pool Stage	Fall	Water Temp.	Rainfall	Gauge Reading 7 a. m.	Depth on Bar
Franklin	[illegible]	[illegible]	Frozen		[illegible]	[illegible]
Greensboro	18	8	F		0.1	
Pittsburg	22	3.7	R		0.5	
Wheeling	36	7.8	F		0.2	
Parkersburg	36	10.0	R		0.1	
Charleston	30	8.5	F		0.4	
Pt. Pleasant	30	15.0	F		0.6	
Catlettsburg	30	22.1	F		0	
Portsmouth	30	23.0	S		0.0	
Cincinnati	30	20.0	R		2.2	

River Forecast.

For the upper Ohio valley to Pittsburg and Steubenville: River at Portsmouth will not change much.

H. C. DONNALLY,
River Observer.

Doyle Going To Cleveland

Scout Billy Doyle, of the Cleveland American league team, is in the city looking over Sidney Smith, a promising young pitcher, who is now pitching for the Portsmouth Shoemakers. He was here Friday evening.

Salesmen Return

[illegible]

MEN AND WOMEN CUT IN FIGHT WITH KNIVES

Frank Bates, 29, a laborer living on Elm street, lies at Hempstead hospital suffering from multiple knife wounds about the head, face and neck, inflicted by his brother-in-law, William Charles, in a cutting affray which occurred at Charles' home, at Thirteenth and Chillicothe streets, early Friday evening. Bates' wife was also badly slashed about the right hand in trying to separate the belligerents, while Charles has several cuts on the left hand and wrist, thought to have been self-inflicted, in addition to severe bruises about the head.

The cutting followed a quarrel between Charles and Bates over the division of the money received for unloading a carload of coal at the Ohio Stove Foundry Friday. Charles collected the money, and, according to Bates' version of the affair, refused to share with him. This precipitated a quarrel, during the course of which Charles claims that he was struck over the head with a heavy piece of pig iron.

Bates followed Charles to his home, where the quarrel was renewed, finally culminating in blows. In defending himself, Charles whipped out a long knife and commenced slashing right and left at his adversary's head. A half-dozen or more of his vicious swipes with the knife took effect on Bates' head and face, inflicting serious wounds, which required several stitches to close at the hospital.

Bates' wife, who is Charles' sister, attempted to separate the two men, and received a couple of minor cuts about her right hand, while Mrs. Darragh, Charles' mother, was struck a vicious blow on the head, while trying to act as peacemaker in the controversy.

Weakened by the loss of blood, Bates rushed from the house and started home, bleeding profusely as he ran. He was overtaken at Fifteenth and Waller streets by Captain McCarty and a squad of officers, hustled into a passing buggy, and driven to Hempstead hospital, where his wounds were dressed.

Charles made good his escape before the police arrived, but was later captured at the upper ferry by Patrolmen Branham and Moore, just as he was about to cross to the Kentucky side. He was brought to the police station, where the bloody knife and a pint of whiskey were found on him. He was lodged in prison on the charge of cutting with intent to wound.

Charles presented a sorry sight when he was arraigned before the mayor in police court. His head was bandaged, and both hands badly lacerated. His inability to hear rendered it impossible for the mayor to conduct a satisfactory examination, but upon his own rambling statements, during which he admitted that he stabbed Bates, he was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of $200 bond. He will be committed to the county jail late Saturday afternoon.

Inquiry at the hospital Saturday morning brought forth the statement that Bates' wounds were not fatal, but that he would probably be disfigured for life. It will be several days before he will be able to be out. Charles also required medical attention at police station Friday evening before he was locked up. Both men are natives of Lewis county, Kentucky, but have been living in Portsmouth for some time.

T. H. Rickey, of 418 Sinton street, is quite ill, threatened with acute indigestion.

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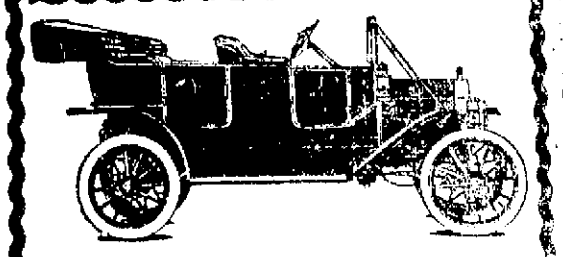

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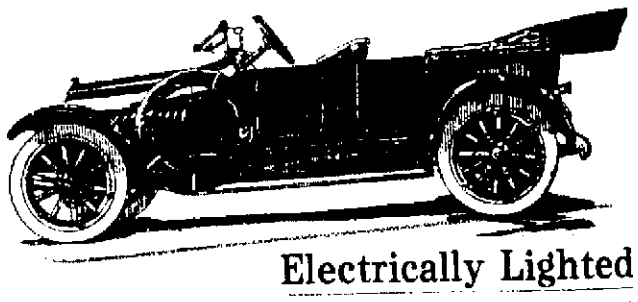

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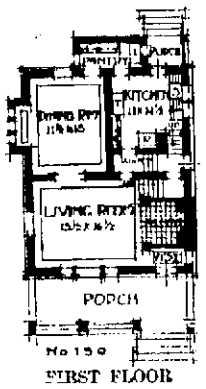
This small house of frame construction is carried out in shingles from above the first story windows. The chimney, porch, walls and foundation are rough red brick, the space between the top of the first floor windows and foundation is sided with 10-inch strip lap siding. It is a splendid example of artistic effect obtained with inexpensive material. The plan is square and compact while the unbroken roof lines take away the usual high shouldered effect of a square house.



FIRST FLOOR

The fireplace and alcove at the end of the living room and between the vestibule and stairway are handsome features of the lower floor and give just the required effect to lift the plan from the commonplace. The four bedrooms are large and plenty of closet space is provided. Upon close study, the completeness of this plan in all its details will be readily seen.

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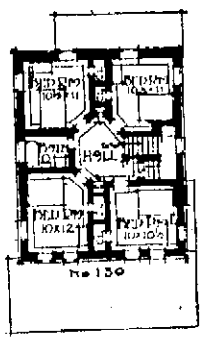

SECOND FLOOR

Any Times reader who desires further information concerning No. 130 should address "John Henry Newson, Homes of Character Dept., The Times." There will be no charge for Mr. Newson's answers.

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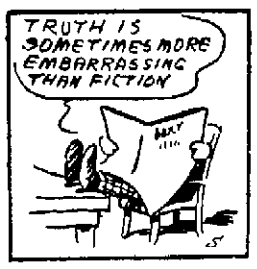

TODAY'S VERSE

Write a letter to your mother;
Tell her of the love you owe;
For you know there is no other
Can such pure devotion show.

Don't you see how old she's growing?
Yet her love is just the same;
Her sweet thoughts to you are flowing.
Though she's feeble, old and lame.

Plan a visit to the old folks;
Write that you are coming soon.
Pack up now and start tomorrow;
Get there 'ere another noon.

Mother's arms are always ready
To embrace her absent boy;
Though her steps are not as steady,
She'll be full of love and joy.

The best that can be said of the new emerald wipe is that they put the green above the red.

Broke, Broke, Broke,
But as happy as can be,
And I would today that I had
All that belongs to me.

Yes. It's eternity. What's that? Why, the Good Old Summer Time.

The very latest and craziest dance is one being presented in Paris by a dancer who gives the "cinda," which is in imitation of the seven year locust. The one redeeming feature is that it may not appear again for that number of years.

THE TANGO

"Don't you want to dance the tango?" he asked.

"Indeed I do," said the sweet young thing. "I want to dance it the worst way."

"Oh, well, you'll have to excuse me. There are laws against that, you know."

RISKY

Her eyes flashed fire!
A dangerous trick,
When on her face
The powder's thick.
—Detroit Free Press.

Her eyes flashed fire—
He was the game—
She put him out—
Her additional flame.
—Los Angeles Express.

Her eyes flash fire.
He must avoid;
His collar's made
Of celluloid.
—Youngstown Telegram.

"Who's the smarter little boy?"

"M-maw's gone an' drowned all the kittens."

"Dear, dear! Now don't you feel bad?"

"Yepp an' she peppermised licklows—that I could do it!" Everybody's Magazine.

OUCH!

"My love," said he, "is like the sea."
And the maiden answered quietly,
"I think it quite likely you're right
For they both made me sick."

BLOOD WILL TELL

One morning a loyal Irishman was at work near the top of a telephone pole, painting it a bright green, when the pot of paint slipped and splashed on the sidewalk. A few minutes later another Irishman came along. He looked at the paint, then at his countryman, and inquired with anxiety in his tone, "Mehcrie, Doherty, how ye had a hemorrhage?"—Ex.

THE FORTY THIEVES

A farmer who visited New York recently thought he would go to the theatre and see "The Forty Thieves." When he went to the theatre he asked for a [illegible] seat, and laid down a twenty-dollar bill. The box office man handed him [illegible] and then [illegible] in change. The farmer [illegible] to 25 [illegible] picked up the [illegible] and walked off with one [illegible] man started [illegible] "Young fellow! You've forgotten your change!" The farmer shouted back: "Keep it, darn you! I don't want to see no other thirty nine."

"Here's a [illegible] household [illegible] Now, what are you going to do with it?"

"Well, mum," replied the generous man, "if I buy a touring car, I shan't have enough left to pay the chauffeur; if I purchase a strato[illegible] there won't be enough left to [illegible] of owning her. [illegible] get a schooner [illegible]—Everybody's Magazine.

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

Two Greaetst Promoters Competing for Boxers Over World.

JIM COFFROTH. "SNOWY" BAKER.

Jim Coffroth, the sunshine promoter of boxing bouts in San Francisco, and "Snowy" Baker, the most independent promoter in the game the Australia has known, are now in New York landing boxers. Baker will take all the first-class men he can find to Australia, while Coffroth wants to sign these men for a big carnival of boxing at the Panama exposition in San Francisco.

If Baker gets the boxers they could, of course, return to the United States before Coffroth would need them next year. Again they might not do so. Coffroth has a concession for his boxing carnival at the Fair and he proposes to put on wrestling and other exhibitions, some of which are to champion ship contests. If Baker takes all the first-class boxers to Australia they may remain over next year. Sam Langford remained there two years and Jack Johnson would have stayed longer had they permitted him.

Baker thinks he has induced Packey McFarland and Willie Ritchie to cross the Pacific to Australia. He is looking for more American champions to do the same thing.

Gableman Chosen President Of Local Club For The Fifth Time

William N. Gableman was again chosen by the directors of the Portsmouth Amusement company, operating the Portsmouth baseball club of the Ohio State league, to head the directorate at the annual meeting held Friday evening at the city auditor's office, having been re-elected president for the fifth successive year. Raymond York was named as secretary-treasurer to succeed Horace L. Small, while William F. Zollman takes Mr. York's place as vice president. Horace Small and Hugh H. Havens, with the above officers, complete the directorate.

The annual report of President Gableman, covering the transactions of the 1913 season, was submitted and adopted by the directors. It showed a fairly successful season in spite of certain handicaps which could not be overcome. The officials were encouraged [illegible] month the same high class article of baseball as in past seasons, and there is not a doubt but that the local aggregation will be in the hunt at the close of the season.

Thomas Corbett was again chosen to [illegible] of the business affairs of the club, this being his fifth season in that capacity. Reporting day for the names of players who will try out for places on the team was set for April 1, when the veterans will report to Manager Chiles on April 20. Several exhibition games will be booked during the frontier season.

As was anticipated, the board approved the selection of Pete Chiles as manager of the club, who has led the helm for the past four seasons. In one that time he has directed three twice, third once and fourth once, [illegible] leading his club home at least a month.

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Idea Is Good One

Cincinnati, March 14.—A delegation from the Hamilton commercial association, headed by Jos. N. Parrish, called upon President Herrmann of the Cincinnati club yesterday to try and induce the Cincinnati club keep out the Hamilton club in some way. They would be perfectly willing to let the Cincinnati club take over the entire Hamilton club and run it, and they would guarantee a certain amount of money to be raised, if the Cincinnati club can be induced to so take the proposition. Hamilton city wants a good ball team, and believes the way to obtain it is to affiliate with some big league club. Mr. Herrmann said he would take the matter up with his associates and give them an answer in a few days.

THIS WILLIE RITCHIE IS SURELY ONE GAME GUY, ASK WOLGAST

Willie Ritchie is not a rubber clerk [illegible]

[illegible] with Harry Ad Wolgast [illegible] Ritchie [illegible] of the middle of the [illegible] Wolgast's early [illegible] Ritchie triumphs.

The very fact that Ritchie passed up Murphy before Billy Murphy to decide with Wolgast is concrete evidence that he is sincerity, courageous and willing little more than he received. Ritchie has the willies to either have and he is not afraid to exchange punches with any one in his class. This was shown in his exhibition of gameness he exhibited to the president fans of Milwaukee, the home of Wolgast's early [illegible] triumphs.

[illegible] Ritchie stopped the upper cut.

Fight Drew $39,805

[illegible] March 14.—Receipts [illegible] per cent, and the promoters divided equal. Vaughn said [illegible] The gross receipts were $39,805. [illegible] Wolgast [illegible] per cent [illegible] Ritchie [illegible]

Murphys Panned

[illegible]

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THE MATINEE DOL

BAGGAN HAS NOT SIGNED

President William Gableman of the local team is in receipt of a letter from Johnny Baggan, who spent the winter in Piqua, Ohio. Johnny has not signed his contract for the very good reason that he is not pleased with the figures in it. Neither Conwell nor Edwards have signed for 1914.

Magee Is Grateful

Sherwood Magee has been appointed captain of the Phillies to succeed Mike Doolan, who has jumped to the Baltimore Federals.

TO CHAPERON PARTY

Gus Homer of the Findels cafe will chaperone a party of local enthusiasts who will go to Cincinnati April 11 to witness the opening game between the Reds and Chicago.

Daley Is Senator

Columbus, March 14.—Johnny Daley, Columbus Interstate and Huntington Ohio State shortstop last year, will try again to make himself solid as a Senator. He was notified yesterday at Dawson Springs, Ky., that he should prepare to return to Columbus instead of going on south with the Pittsburgh Nationals. It is probable that Daley will be in the Columbus camp by Sunday.

SUNDAY BALL IS KILLED

Albany, N. Y., March 14.—The assembly judiciary committee today killed the Quick local option Sunday baseball bill. The measure sought to make provision for the granting by local boards of aldermen of permission for the holding of outdoor sports on Sunday.

Newspapers Differed

Milwaukee morning papers gave Wolgast a draw and Chicago morning papers gave Ritchie a shade. They bet their money on Wolgast in Milwaukee and on Ritchie in Chicago—see the point!

FANS DID NOT LIKE DOOLAN

That Mike Doolan's leap from the Phillies to the Federals was not altogether brought about by the fancy money Manager Knabe waved in his face is indicated by the view Philadelphia fans, as well as President Baker of the Phillies, take of the situation. Doolan held an old claim against a former administration of the Quakers and in addition to this was dissatisfied with the feeling the fans manifested toward him. He was not a great favorite with the fans, despite his recognized ability. The proposed deal with Mclnnis by which Doolan would have been disposed of to the Giants suggests the situation in the light in which President Baker looked at it.

Mrs. Charity Cooper is confined to her home at 2029 Fifth street with an attack of rheumatism.

Two Baseball Stars of the World's Tourists Who Have Been Sought by the Federal League

Sam Crawford of the Reds. Tris Speaker of the Boston Americans.

Sam Crawford, the leaving [illegible] club for the season of 1914 [illegible] Speaker, it is said [illegible] year [illegible]

GILMORE ON WAY HOME

Shreveport, March 14.—James E. Gilmore, president of the Federal League, after spending several days with the Chicago Federal team in spring training here, left today for his Chicago headquarters. Before leaving Shreveport he made no announcement as to new contracts, but declared he would continue the fight for players of the old leagues wanted by the new organization.

Time For Records

With the baseball season almost on its way we cull some of the records made in seasons gone by because interesting. George McBride of Washington, for instance, holds one that is most unique. He enjoys the distinction of being the only infielder who went through a regular game without ever having a chance to get hold of the ball on a play. Jiggs Donahue at first base in his heyday of Chicago also played in an entire game in which he had not one assist.

BOOST FOR BEERS

The Huntington Advertiser says: "Bobby Beers, who was traded to Lexington by the Portsmouth club during the winter meeting season, has announced that he will report for duty with the Colts in about three weeks. Beers is a great little player who was popular with the fans last season and he will make a valuable addition to the team."

JACKLEY UP TO OLD TRICKS

London, March 14.—Manager Jack [illegible] of the Nationals received a letter yesterday from a [illegible] stating that the report that he was holding out for [illegible] was not true, but [illegible] will be unable to report [illegible] week in May [illegible] to report that [illegible]

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No. 33 Leave Hamden 3:05 p. m. Arrive Portsmouth 6:30 p. m.

No. 31 Leave Hamden [illegible] a. m. Arrive Portsmouth 10:20 a. m.

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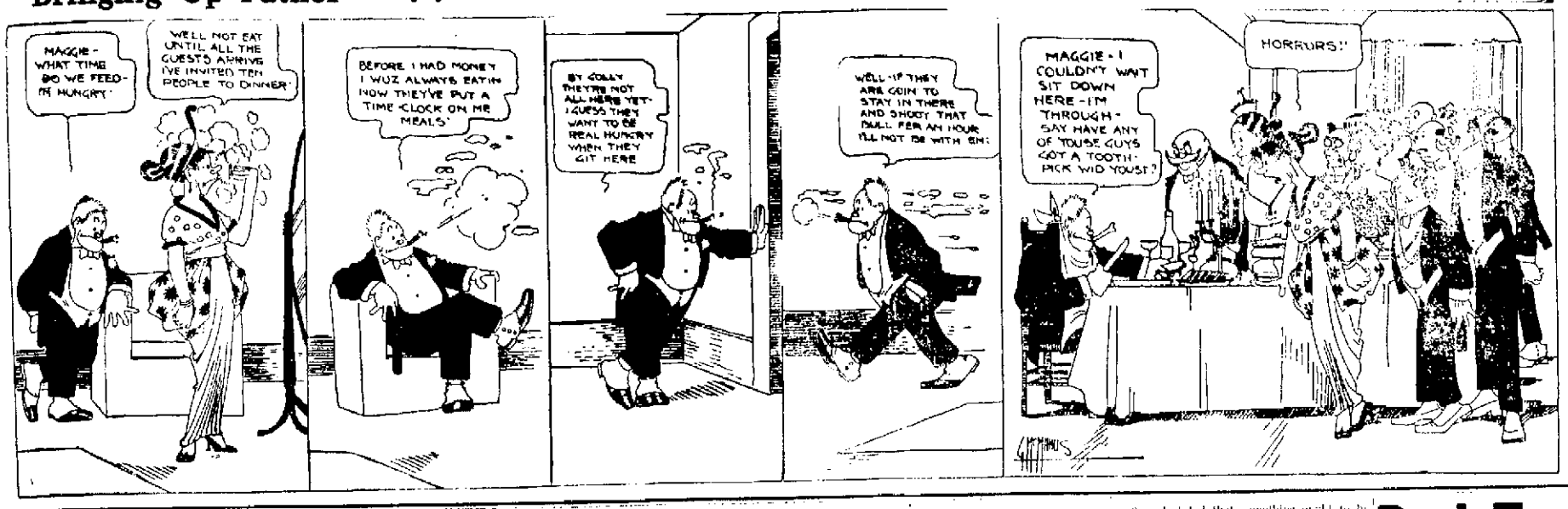

Boy Scout Movement Shown To Have Been of Great Good

Work In City Will Be Kept Advancing

Nearly a half hundred citizens interested in the Boy Scout Movement, met at the office of the Gilbert Grocery company, Friday evening, to discuss the great work the Movement has accomplished in this city during the year that it has run, and to devise means to carry on the work to a greater extent. The meeting was opened with prayer by Rev. Langhorne. E. F. Rideout of the Y. M. C. A., acted as chairman. He stated that at a meeting held about one year ago to devise ways and means to assist the R. R. Y. M. C. A., in carrying on this work, and at that meeting $900 was pledged, $782 of this amount had been paid in, and the expenses of the year had been nearly $2,000, the remainder of the cost had been put up by the R. R. Y. M. C. A., and it will take, said Mr. Rideout, nearly $3,000 to run it the coming year. Definite finance plans will be made next Tuesday evening.

The chairman then called for the annual report of M. H. F. Kinsey, the Boys' Community Secretary, who is in close touch with the boys of this city Boy Scouts become better boys, any other person read his report, showing the great work done the past year.

Chairman Rideout then called on Mrs. Bertha S. Wheeler, a teacher in the public schools, to tell what she knew of the Boy Scouts.

Mrs. Wheeler is a great believer in the Boy Scout Movement. She said: "I had a boy in my school that I could not get next to to save my life, and I had begun to get nervous over him. I could not do anything toward gaining his confidence and apparently the harder I worked the farther away I got. One day he came to me and said he was going to join the Boy Scouts. I was very much surprised, but I thought this was my opportunity. I will practically join the Boy Scouts with him. I had him to my side and had a heart to heart talk with him. I offered to help him all I possibly could, and we agreed to help each other. He joined the Boy Scouts, and I have had no trouble with him since. He is still a hard student and does not give me any trouble, and I had my boys almost as bad that I thought would really.

I do not mean, of course, that all these boys join the Boy Scouts the wings begin to sprout, they assume an angelic form, for they are boys, and must be treated as such. While I am satisfied that all boys who join the Boy Scouts become better boys, it is not a panacea for all ills."

Dr. W. E. Gault was next called. He said: "I have learned a great deal about the Boy Scout work, and I know that the boys who have joined them have learned a great deal. They are continually learning something and the Boy Scout wants to get the best there is in life. This seems to be one of the first things he learns. He wants to know more and he will know it if investigation and asking questions will get it. The Boy Scout work teaches the boy much more than most people know of. They learn how to be polite, the importance of church work, how to play fair, and give the other fellow a square deal, in fact it teaches them how to get the best out of life there is in it. The boys of today will be the men of the future, and they should be given every advantage within reach. Too much cannot be done on behalf of this movement in my judgment, it is a great work."

Rev. Paul Langhorne was next called. He said: "I have always taken a great interest in the boys, and when I came here I found there was a troop of the Boy Scouts at my church. I gave it all the encouragement I could, and we have succeeded in making a lot of bad boys a lot of good boys. Of course they are boys, and we want them to be boys, but boys of a high calibre. There is something in the Boy Scout Movement that develops the boy. It gets out of him all there is in him. It develops him physically and makes a better boy in all ways. We cannot do too much in the interests of the Boy Scout Movement."

Rev. John Wirt Dunning spoke of the great work accomplished in the First Presbyterian church by the Boy Scout Movement. When it was started he said there were but about 25 boys in their Sunday school, and now there were 150, and at least two-thirds of these were brought in through the Boy Scout Movement. Some of these boys have come into the church. At least two of this number are at church every Sunday. All this is evidence to me that the Boy Scout Movement is a great help to the boys, and is doing great good in this city and the good work should be kept going, and if possible increase our energies along this line.

Talks were made by Prof. Chas. L. Warnock of the Manual Training department of the public schools, L. R. Thomason, teacher at the Terminals, and Conrad Roth, all praising the good work by the Boy Scouts.

At this juncture Mr. Rideout turned the meeting over to Mr. George Appel, to take up the matter of finances. Mr. Appel said in assuming the chair that the money must be raised to keep up this work, and it was not fair for us to let the Y. M. C. A. carry the heavy end of it.

It was finally agreed to meet next Tuesday evening to take up the matter of financing the Movement for the coming year.

The meeting, through a motion, thanked the newspapers for the able editorials written in the interest of this movement.

Those present included: Geo. M. Appel, E. F. Rideout, president of the local council of Boy Scouts of America; M. H. F. Kinsey, scout commissioner; Dr. W. E. Gault, president of the Court of Honor; Luther A. Thompson, Conrad Roth, Orson H. Ogier, W. Grant Williams, Charles L. Warnock, teacher in the manual training department, public schools; Rev. J. W. Dunning, Rev. F. P. Langhorne, Mrs. Bertha Sowers Wheeler, Fred Armaogoni, County Clerk Roy McElhaney, M. E. Pursell, H. L. Cline, A. B. Foster, M. Breyfogle of Louisville, Ky., John C. Bauer, Judge A. Z. Blair, C. E. Dowling, G. F. Griel, C. W. Rideinour, assistant to Mr. Kinsey; Albert Zoellner, Pearl E. Selby, G. W. Closterman.

Mr. Kinsey's report was as follows:

Organization

Under the leadership of Mr. E. F. Rideout, general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association of this city, a movement was started just one year ago tonight to inaugurate a community work for all the boys of the city. A meeting of the business and professional men was held at the home of ex-Governor M. Appel, and these men endorsed the plans as outlined by Mr. Rideout and pledged their hearty co-operation.

Just as we were getting a very auspicious start the flood came and prospects were then very discouraging, as many of our business men had been heavy losers, but some of these very men suggested that the work be carried forward. But to a way the flood proved a God-send as far as the Boy Scout work was concerned, for during this awful period these young men who comprise the Boy Scout organization showed their real metal, and demonstrated in a forceful manner the real scout spirit by their many acts of mercy and heroism. Instead of proving a setback to the work, it was a boost, as the scouts gained many friends by their unselfish work.

During the flood fifty of our scouts were used in relief work, which consisted of moving the poorer families who were unable to hire conveyances, to high ground. After the waters had entirely submerged the city, these boys were busy rowing their boats over dangerous currents carrying food, medicine and clothing to flood refugees. After the waters had receded, fifteen of them responded to the call of our mayor and cleaned the old Acme hotel of 55 rooms from top to bottom, leaving it in a sanitary condition to be used as a temporary hospital. Others were used as messengers at relief headquarters.

After the flood the community work was started in earnest, and the first big undertaking was the taking of the boy census of the city. This is by far the most consistent and far reaching effort ever undertaken anywhere in the interest of the Boy Scout movement. By this piece of work we ascertained that there were 1,651 boys of scout age, 12 to 18, in the city of Portsmouth. The boys are recorded at Boys' headquarters in wards and precincts. A Boy Scout committee has been appointed for each precinct in the city, each committee meeting from time to time to give information to the community secretary of every boy in their portion so far present. The facts concerning each boy are as follows:

1. Name.
2. Address.
3. Age.
4. Hobbies.
5. What school he attends.
6. Sunday school he attends.
7. Be interested in scout work.
8. If working, what occupation?
9. What are his parents' occupation?
10. What is his home environment?
11. Who are his associates?

Through these committees it was proposed to get every boy in the city interested in the Boy Scout movement, and this method has proven a great success, as my records show satisfactorily that we have succeeded in getting next to some of the worst boys in the city and enlisted them in the scout movement, and nearly all are making good. I have discovered that when a boy of this type realizes there is some one really interested in him, he hustles to be a different boy right away.

By this census we have a complete directory which we have compiled of every boy in the city.

Athletics

The warm months soon followed and our activities were out of doors almost entirely. With only two ball diamonds and one of them not a regulation diamond, we managed to interest nearly 200 boys in athletics, forming two baseball leagues, one for the older scouts and one for the younger. By our athletic program last summer we did a great deal towards purifying athletics among boys of some of the so-called tough sections of the city. I remember one particular incident which occurred on the opening day of our Peoples league last June. In this opening game we had three delts before the ninth inning rolled around; the next game we had two; the third one, and finally being encouraged by such progress in "clean sport" we resolved to "stick to it," and our patience was rewarded by finally seeing those same boys a few weeks later [illegible] their opponents at the close of a game, after they had been soundly licked by the score of 6 to 0.

Dual meets are especially exciting and to a large extent at the beginning of this work, but before the season had even gotten a good start these vices were entirely eliminated. Hoodlumism, which used to exist to a great extent among boys in their sports, has been entirely obliterated.

We conducted these leagues with as much system as our big leagues, official scorekeepers were at every game and box scores, giving the name of every player, appeared on the sporting pages of our papers the following day. Records of batting and fielding averages of every player were kept at Boys' headquarters. The games were umpired by men who stood only for clean sport. These men rendered this service gratis.

Baseball Statistics

Number of boys starting	300
Number of games played	100
The race in the Boy scout [illegible] was very exciting, five out of the six teams in the league having a chance to win the pennant within two weeks of the close. In the last game of the season two teams tied for the pennant and it required an extra game to decide the winner.	

I will now speak of other activities during the summer months. Our boys received instruction in camp craft, [illegible] which directed much attention to the early fall, as of our boys subject every a message from the mayor of the city to the boys of Portsmouth.

During the winter months we have been [illegible] Bible study, [illegible] football league, having already played six games.

Total attendance	650
Average attendance	124

Hikes, Outings and Camps

Summer camps conducted	5
Total attendance in camps	250
Number of hikes	5
Overnight hikes	3

Scout and Club Meetings

Number club rooms	12
School buildings	3
Last quarter [illegible]	
Total number of meetings	96
Average attendance at meetings	120
First aid classes	100

[illegible] meetings were conducted in the following manner: [illegible] programs were given in first aid, signaling, [illegible] and Bible study. Four [illegible] of adventure were [illegible] The last winter was the [illegible] Twenty five debates were held between patrols, four [illegible] conducted for a boys' [illegible] Some other [illegible] were Ringoldsby [illegible] and Boy Scout [illegible]

Membership Statistics

Number of new troops	11
Number of [illegible]	11
Number [illegible]	
Total	
Number of active scouts	

Court of Honor

Number [illegible]	
Tenderfoot [illegible]	20
Second class	20
First class	21
Star	2
Life	1
Eagle	1
Life	1
Life	1
Life

"EVERYBODY-AT-CHURCH" TOMORROW

Tomorrow sees the beginning of the city-wide movement for a greater church attendance. Every church is active and every church is desirous of deriving much benefit from this concerted effort of laymen from the various congregations to get more people to the church services.

If You Belong To Church, Go To That Church Tomorrow

If you do not belong to any church, go to any church you choose, but go. You will be pleased at the welcome you receive. The invitation is as broad as the community and yet is personal to everyone, whether you are a professing Christian or not. People of Portsmouth, be honest with yourselves and to your Creator. Let no pantry excuse prevent you from being in a church pew tomorrow. Join this great movement for more people in the churches, a better Portsmouth and a better Citizenship.

GO TO CHURCH AND TAKE SOME ONE WITH YOU

Resolve Now That You Will Be Found In Some Church Tomorrow, Preferably At The Morning Service

(This is the first of a series of similar advertisements that will appear in this paper every Saturday, under the auspices of the Laymen's Organization.)

Sunday Services

SERMONS AND SERVICES AT THE VARIOUS CHURCHES

MINISTERIAL ASSOCIATION

Regular meeting of the Ministerial Association Monday morning at 9:30 in U. B. church. Rev. E. H. Newsome will read a paper on "Heroisms Men for An Enlarged Church Life and Work."

C. S. ROBERTSON, Pres.
L. J. HOPPER, Sec'y.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Court and Third Streets
John Wirt Dunning, Minister

All regular services tomorrow. Bible school at 9 o'clock. The school is doing at an attendance of 500 before Easter. All teachers and scholars are urged to be present. The Men's class led by the pastor will meet at the same hour. The subject of the lesson will be "Watchfulness," involving a study of the second coming of Jesus. All men are invited. Morning worship at 10:30. This is the third Sunday of the "go to church" campaign. Congregations are growing every Sunday. The pastor will preach on "The Lions' Lack; The Christ's Sufficiency." Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 o'clock. Senior society meets at 6 o'clock. Evening worship at 7. The pastor will give the third of a series of sermons to young people. The subject will be "Power: Power to the Blessing (again single Power to the Blessing and the common will be a study of the importance, the secrets and the uses of power. A hearty invitation is given all to attend. Special music by the quartet and Mrs. Lyons. The music for tomorrow will be:

MORNING

Anthem, "Remember Now Thy Creator" Adams. Mr. Reed, Mrs. Lyons, Mr. Shorck, Mr. Schwartz.
Solo, "O Lord Hear My Prayer" Jewell. Mrs. Lyons.

EVENING

Anthem, "Blest Lovely Habitation" Hawkes. Mr. Reed, Mrs. Lyons, Mr. Shorck, Mr. Schwartz.
Solo, "O Lord Hear My Prayer" Hatchett. Mrs. Lyons.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Charles S. Robertson, Pastor

Bible school at 9. W. W. Gates, Supt. Worship at 10:30. Theme, "Christ Is Risen Indeed." Sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Christ Is Risen Indeed." Bible Historic. Lake Harbor's story. Evening worship at 7 with

GUTH'S Chocolates

We have added to our line of candies Guth's famous Chocolates and Candies put up in popular priced packages from

50c up to $1.00 per pound

This week we are selling a two (2) pound box of Guth's assorted stick candies for 29 cents a box.

One (1) pound box of assorted chocolates, usual retail price 50c, Saturday's 29c

See our 5c packages of Peanut Chocolates, Fruit and Nut Loaf, Cherry Loaf, etc.

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And don't give you much time. So order that Motor Boat, Row Boat or Canoe and be in time. See us now.

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RENTAL AGENCY

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You can make it with a Camera by using your spare time as others do.

It will cost you nothing to investigate it.

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Stone's Wrapped Cake! NOW AVAILABLE at exclusive by the
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JR. O. U. A. M. PUBLIC MEETING A SUCCESS

The arrival of E. B. Goodlin, State Councilor of the Jr. O. U. A. M., came as quite a surprise to the members of the local camp who met the train that brought W. A. Clark, Past State Councilor and State Organizer of the Jr. O. U. A. M., to this city. Friday noon to attend the joint public meeting of the local camp and the Daughters of America. Mr. Goodlin came as an unexpected guest but the members of the local lodge were more than pleased to have such a high official of the lodge with them and at this time. He has his headquarters in his home town at Toronto, O. The two visitors were shown over the city Friday by a committee of the local camp and they were more than pleased with the Peerless City.

After the regular meeting of the Daughters of America at their hall on the corner of Fifth and Court streets the main program of the evening began. It was one of the best meetings ever held by the Jr. O. U. A. M., and affiliated lodges, during their twelve years in the city.

The different camps represented at the meeting were Portsmouth No. 38; New Boston, No. 288; Harrisonville, No. 257; Peerless, No. 188; McDermott, No. 266; Buena Vista, No. 11; South Webster, No. 14; Stockdale, No. 271; Rome, No. 273, and Scioto Furnace.

The local camp started 12 years ago with a charter list of 31 members and now their membership numbers over 400. There are 2100 in the county and 36,000 in the state. The uniform rank contains 32 members.

The meeting was called to order by Arthur Blake, sergeant, who acted as chairman. The following was the order of the program:

Opening song—America
Invocation—Rev. W. H. Christian.
Speech—Mr. Goodlin.
Piano solo—Miss A. Davidson.
Speech and pictures by Mr. Clark.
Closing song—Song of the D. of A. lodge.

History of The Order

Mr. Goodlin started his talk by giving a short history of the order. The first camp in the state was started at Salem, in 1869. The order is a purely patriotic, benevolent institution, existing for the protection of Americans and American institutions, and the promulgation of a spirit of patriotism throughout the length and breadth of our land. Its achievements have given it fame as a practical, patriotic, and fraternal organization; being national in character and established in every state and territory.

Mr. Goodlin said that one of the five things he was greatful for was that he belonged to the best patriotic lodge on the face of the globe. The lodge is not old in existence but some of its laws are old. He brought out the most vital question before the lodge today that of the immigrants who are flooding the country and who will "if not stopped drive the American citizen from our own country."

He stated that the immigrant bill that will soon be presented to the president for signature would do away with 50 percent of the Italians and 45 percent of the Hungarians in this country.

He said: "Their place is back in their natural homes. They are the scum of the old world."

Another great thing that the lodge is doing is the placing of Bibles in the public schools. The lodge is becoming more affiliated with the church. Each man must work for the good of the lodge. A man is a very poor member who does not bring in one application a year. The members will have to take advantage of their opportunities. The Jr. O. U. A. M. is the only lodge that is supporting a national Orphans' Home which is located at Tiffin, O. Most of the lodges have State Homes but none but the Juniors have a national home for the children.

W. A. Clark, who hails from St. Paris, was the next speaker of the evening and the last also. He is a gifted speaker and a fine lecturer. His talk was thoroughly enjoyed.

OSTEOPATHY

Is the most sane, safe and scientific method of treating disease, without the aid of drugs or knife. Phone 704. Room 35, 1st Nat. Bank Bldg. Dr. W. J. Keyes. adv

Enjoys Life In The Army

Mrs. Charles Johnson, of Sixth street, is in receipt of a letter from her son, Bernice, who is a soldier in the 14th Cavalry of the United States, and is now at Fort Clark, Texas. He left here in December to serve three years and says in his letter that he is well pleased with the life of an army man.

Rev. Porter Is Grateful

Editor Times—Rev. B. F. Porter of New Boston, desires to return a sincere thanks to the teachers and pupils of the New Boston high school, for their donation of beautiful flowers. He highly appreciates their gift of flowers, as he is confined at home, and not able to get out doors. He wishes them to know he thanks them for their kindness and respect towards him.

WOODMEN PLAN BIG TIME

The Woodmen of the World are planning for a big time on Friday evening, March 20, when a class of 150 candidates will be initiated with all the frills possible. Among the distinguished visitors who will be here to take part in the impressive ritual will be William Rosss, of Cleveland, sovereign manager, and Rainey T. Wells, sovereign commander, of Murray, Ky. Delegations from all the nearby camps will be invited and arrangements will be made to take care of 200 visitors.

Following last night's business session a quartet composed of Messrs. Chester Ruggles, Earl Reinhart, Elmer Applegate and Dewey Williams sang several selections. An orchestra, composed of Blanchard Anderson, Arthur Kelley, Clayce Freeman, Claude Bradford and William Brandle, played several selections. The candidates initiated included Messrs. Samuel T. Roberts, Dave Bratt and Charles Adams.

MONEY TO LOAN—The Portsmouth Building and Loan Association Co. Edgar F. Draper, Secretary, Masonic Temple. adv 6-tf

Year Was Prosperous

Ralph Thomas, proprietor of the Lincoln Motor Farm, Company of Buffalo, N. Y., is home after a trip back from a trip in Kentucky. Mr. Thomas has largely increased his business during the year and will have Monday and Tuesday of next week at his farm in Buffalo, N. Y., a special exhibit of his famous Lincoln Farm products.

COULD NOT STAND ON FEET

Mrs. Baker So Weak—Could Not Do Her Work—Found Relief In Novel Way.

Adrian, Mich.—"I suffered terribly with female weakness and backache and got so weak that I could hardly do my work. When I washed my dishes I had to sit down and when I would sweep the floor I would get so weak that I would have to rest a few minutes, and before I did my dusting I would have to lie down. I got so poorly that my folks thought I was going into consumption. One day I found a piece of paper blowing around the yard and I picked it up and read it. It said 'Saved from the Grave,' and told what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for women. I showed it to my husband and he said, 'Why don't you try it?' So I did, and after I had taken two bottles I felt better and I said to my husband, 'I don't need any more,' and he said 'You had better take a little longer anyway.' So I took it for three months and got well and strong."—Mrs. Augusta E. Sauer, 9 Tecumseh St., Adrian, Mich.

Not Well Enough to Work.

In these words is hidden the tragedy of many a woman, housekeeper or wage earner who supports herself and is often helping to support a family, on meagre wages. Whether in house, office, factory, shop, store or kitchen, woman should remember that there is one tried and true remedy for the ills to which all women are prone, and that is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It promotes that vigor which makes work a pleasure.

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Stop "dosing" Rheumatism.

It's pain only; not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right on the tender spot, and by the time you say Jack Robinson all trace of rheumatic pain and distress is gone. St. Jacobs Oil conquers pain! It is a harmless, local rheumatism cure which never disappoints and doesn't burn or discolor the skin. It takes pain, soreness and stiffness from aching joints, muscles and bones; stops sciatica, lumbago, backache, neuralgia and relieves swelling.

Limber up! Get a small trial bottle of old-time, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" from any drug store, and in a moment you'll be free from pains, aches and stiffness.

Former Resident Injured

Says the Ironton Register:

"Miss Hyacinth Remy, while skating at the rink last evening, fell, injuring her wrist. She thought nothing of it at the time, but this morning she was compelled to seek medical aid. Dr. Wiseman pronounced the injury a dislocated wrist and a broken blood vessel. It is her right wrist. It is now set, but it will be some time before Miss Remy can use it."

Miss Remey is a former resident of this city and is well known here.

SLACK TIME AT SELBY'S

Cutters in the employ of the Selby Shoe Company were laid off Friday night until Monday morning. This was the first time they had been really laid off in many months. The trimming cutters worked as usual Saturday.

HAS BOUGHT PROPERTY

Through a deal closed Friday, Dr. Howard Williamson came into possession of the Hoaberlin property, in East Portsmouth, which is located near the Y. M. C. A. Included in the important deal was a six room house and three lots, which Dr. Williamson purchased from W. P. Armstrong as an investment.

C. & O. PLANS TO ENLARGE SHOPS

C. & O. officials who were in Huntington, Friday, said that work would soon begin on extensive enlargements of the C. & O. shops at that point. Regarding the proposed bridge plans, Vice President Ingles said there was nothing to give out at this time.

Keep Your Digestion Normal

When food will have its proper effect on the health, allow it to become impaired and you weaken the entire system, for any disturbance of the Stomach, Liver and Bowels may

HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS

You will find it beneficial in every way

Bible School Rally At First Christian

With all the big factory and steamboat whistles blowing and the great bells clanging at eight o'clock Sunday morning it ought to be impossible for any citizen of Portsmouth to forget or neglect Bible school.

The forces of the First Christian school expect to see a bee hive of industry around Third and Gay about nine o'clock. Supt. Howland believes everybody will read the big "ads" in the local newspapers and will read the flaming banners and begin the day with the Bible school. The little Misses Day and Burnsides are expected to sing.

Mr. Hode will be there with his famous first violin and the other members of the faithful orchestra.

The contest between the men's class and that of Mrs. Howland waxed hot from the start. The men had the lead last Sunday by a small margin but there is a rumor that these gallant, chivalrous men will ask that the ladies forget the stinging defeat given them in the first battle and begin all over again tomorrow with the inauguration of the church attendance campaign.

The rules of the game are now thoroughly understood and the future will reveal a warm contest, everybody fair and playing according to law. Both sides are confident of victory for tomorrow.

Interest centers in the lesson which is a great one in connection with the life of Christ. Teacher Brooks is always thoroughly prepared to teach the lesson and is especially interested in the story of Sunday.

The spirit of Sheridan, Ditty, Millison and company pervades the entire school and enthusiasm prevails everywhere and excellent work is being done.

A round even thousand is the hope of the leaders for the attendance tomorrow.

Mr. Brooks will speak on "World Wide Evangelism" at 10:30, and on a notable instance of conversion at 7:30. This is the fifth of a series of addresses on cases of conversion recorded in Acts of Apostles.

Columbus, O., March 14. "We are not guilty of the charges preferred, and promise to establish our complete innocence," declare W. L. Finley, Democratic state chairman; State Bank Superintendent Emery Lattanner; Merle H. Godier, chief clerk in the banking department, and A. V. Abernathy, secretary of the state tax commission, indicted for soliciting campaign assessments in alleged violation of the state civil service law.

The indictments do not charge any moral turpitude, but mere technical violation of the newly enacted civil service law, which provides that state employees shall not be asked to contribute to a campaign fund. The indicted officials are preparing to put up a stiff fight in their own behalf. The ablest counsel at the state capital has been engaged to represent them. They will be arraigned in court Monday.

Although indictments were expected, more or less excitement was caused when they became known, especially in official circles. Many whose names were mentioned in the civil service investigation of the charges of illegal collection of money for campaign purposes feared they would be caught in the grand jury dragnet, and there was a deep sense of relief on their part when they found that they had escaped indictment.

State Chairman Finley expected indictment and so was not surprised when the sheriff called on him and notified him that he was wanted at the court house. The other indicted officials gathered at Mr. Finley's office and went to the court house in a body. Leading bankers of the capital city went on their bonds. The combined wealth of the bondsmen amounted to more than $100,000, so there was no question about accepting them as sureties.

John M. Beckman, aged 60, who was born in Hamilton, O., who claims that he was railroaded into the penitentiaries of Michigan and Ohio for alleged land swindle deals, serving eight years in the former state and two years in the latter, came to Columbus, Friday, to ask Governor Cox to help him to establish his innocence. He claims that he was convicted both times as the result of a conspiracy. He was sent up from Huron county, in Michigan. Attorney General Hogan will investigate his claim of innocence for the governor.

Max A. Slater, former state printer, who served a term in the penitentiary on the charge of certifying false vouchers while in office, is now an inmate of the Dayton asylum, I learn from a reliable source, according to his physicians. The committment which was made by the probate court in Dayton, Friday, brings to a peculiarly tragic ending a career that once was prodigious of brilliant promise. When Slater got into politics he became city of Dayton, he was young, magnetic, ambitious and powerful. He rose to the top rapidly. He made friends and enemies almost equally fast. He made money and spent it freely. He was reputed to be worth a million. But for the Nolan indictment he was in all the glory of his power and held on to his place as state printer. Slater was a Democratic governor. Slater was a Democrat, and the Republicans appointed a state printer who proved to be a crook. Slater was in Columbus when the charge of stealing the furniture from the state house was made. He left Columbus and went to his home in Dayton. For a time he was in good health, but he became mentally deranged. He was committed to the asylum about one year ago. When he emerged from the prison gates, his face was ghastly, his step halting, his frame trembling as if in palsy. His physical health had disappeared. The recent eclipse of his mental faculties are said by physicians to be due to paresis, which set in four years ago. Slater is 48 years old. He has a wife and family in Dayton.

The state industrial commission is making records this week in the awarding of compensation to injured workmen or their families. At one sitting Friday the commission made 340 awards and established a unique precedent. Thus far during the present week, it has disposed of nearly 1,000 claims and before the down of next Monday expects to bring the week's record far past the 1,000 mark.

The selection of Professor W. W. Boyd as president of the Western College for Women at Oxford, O., creates a vacancy in the position of dean of the college of education at Ohio State University. Professor Boyd filled this position for seven years. For 5 years previously he was high school inspector for Ohio State. He took part in the recent state school survey and is well known in Ohio educational circles. At Oxford he takes the place of Dr. John Newman, who retired about two years ago and whose duties a woman has been acting.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends and relatives for their kindness during the death of our husband and father, Victor Lovey. We also thank Rev. Father Gudel and Roy Lyons for their services.

MRS. C. LOVEY & FAMILY.

DON'T SCOLD AN IRRITABLE CHILD

IF LITTLE TONGUE IS COATED, SURELY GIVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach ache, constipation, remember a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

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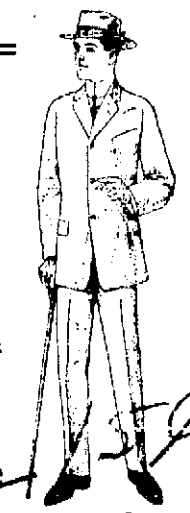

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Lyman H. Howe at Grand next week with the Famous Panama Pictures.

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Perhaps you have heard the rumbling of distant explosions, the thunder of a giant blast of dynamite that shakes the earth for miles around.

These are thrilling enough for most people but not for the camera men who made Lyman H. Howe's reproduction of the Panama Canal.

At the time of the biggest dynamite operations in "Culebra Cut" one of the photographers ventured close enough to the explosion to make a series of remarkable moving pictures of them.

"He [illegible] about Colonel Goethals' fireworks," declared one of the canal workers. That's what they call all of the dynamite activity in the "big ditch" zone.

During one of the "big shots" the picture taking apparatus was near enough to be visibly affected by the great shock. When the blast was fired, the camera rocked with the earth and a most sensational effect was the result. The films developed so that the spectator easily imagines he feels the actual quiver of the earth.

The rapid succession of this and other thrills with the intense interest in the subject itself is making Lyman H. Howe's presentation of the Panama Canal which comes to the Grand Opera House on Friday and Saturday quite the film wonder of the age.

THEATRICAL

Great Bill At Grand

The bill at the Grand for the last half is a rocker-type start to finish and deserved every bit of the applause it drew from the big crowds yesterday.

It is a splendidly balanced bill and has something to please everyone. In fact it is the best all-around show of all the good attractions since Keith vaudeville has been booked at the Grand.

Miller & Tempest, is a most excellent comedy offering entitled "Kix and Trix." George Murphy, who is recognized as one of the greatest and best dancers in vaudeville. Smith and Ryan in a bright sparkling comedy offering entitled "They Met At Rehearsal." In Bohemia," a miniature musical comedy replete with special scenery and effects, presented by Batchelor, Adams and Vert and "Their Musical Maids." This is one of the very latest comedy successes and is loaded to capacity with good, clean comedy and catchy music.

Matinee daily at 2:15, all seats 10 cents. Two shows each evening 7:00 and 8:45, entire lower floor 25 cents, balcony first four rows 15 cents, rest 10 cents. You simply can't afford to miss this great bill at the Grand.

At the New Sun

[illegible] son at the New Sun for the last half of the week every [illegible] to witness the operetta "Hickory Pecked Henry." [illegible] expressed in enthusiastic terms just appreciation of "Henry Hickory," in which Joe [illegible] the star. It is the troubles of a henpecked man raised to the 95th power and the comedy soon begins to tell its element, [illegible] and positively convulsing Jack Trainor enacts the title role with a great deal of fun. At times the outbursts of the old man from the placid humility of a wife watcher in the first part of the play to the follower of chorus [illegible] and lover of champagne suppers later on. Throughout the entire play his acting is said to be superb. One scene in particular is enjoyed by the audience to be the most amusing ever presented in vaudeville, the audience often being helpless with laughter. It is where the wife finds a good sport in a gross capacity and a succession takes around the stage to a [illegible] A [illegible] story of its sayings and [illegible] is enjoyed Mr. Trainor in an admirable manner. Catchy songs and dances are presented in a pleasing manner [illegible]

Contracting The Panama Canal

[illegible]

The Picture of Tonight

[illegible]

Adams, Hough duo. It is handsomely set, richly costumed, admirably staged, and will prove one of the best and most pleasing attractions ever here.

"Way Down East"

Lottie Blair Parker's famous play of "Way Down East" will be with us on Thursday, March 19th at Grand Opera House.

"Way Down East," no matter how old it may be or how often it has graced the boards of the stars throughout the breadth and length of the land, is like the first Spring zephyr upon the winter frost of problem and risque plays. A clean wholesome story is told without taxing the mind or outrage of its audiences. Year after year it is eagerly looked forward to by theatre-goers when ever it is announced for production.

The environment for a life of the New England classic is a striking [illegible] to its power to entertain [illegible] characters [illegible] from the [illegible] of the spectators.

[illegible] the most [illegible] country [illegible] presented [illegible] Matinee [illegible] 25c to $1.00.

Paul J. Rainey African Hunt Pictures At The Columbia Tuesday and Wednesday

[illegible] Rainey African [illegible] pictures. Accompanying his expedition was a large corps of expert photographers and motion picture camera men, and whenever there was a hunt to be undertaken, or a dangerous trip made into the jungles, these intrepid men of camera and film were in the forefront.

The Rainey expedition consisted of 35 white men, 325 native black men, 135 camels, 40 horses, 60 dogs, 54 oxen and 150 sheep on the hoof. At Bombassa the expedition was completed and the famous hunting journey into the jungles was arranged. During this trip all kinds and species of game were pursued and captured and this wonderful set of six reels of pictures graphically reproduces all of the most important trips into the deepest jungles of central Africa. Possibly the most interesting part of this entire production is known as the "Water Hole" reel, in which the camera man was hidden amid the foliage of a tree for 72 hours with his camera focused over a "Water Hole" or place where all these wild beasts came to drink.

Manager Tynes guarantees this picture to be the original Paul J. Rainey African Hunt pictures as they have been shown in all the larger cities of this country and Europe at $1.00 per seat. The price for the engagement for Tuesday and Wednesday is 25 cents to adults and 15 cents to children.

Sun Theatre

High class vaudeville will be presented at the New Sun theatre the first half of next week beginning Monday matinee. The management has secured for this engagement artists of high standing in the vaudeville world, headed by Lew Canters. "Thirty Minutes On Broadway," with Will Stanton and Rosalind Mays, seven vaudeville stars in mirth, melody and songs. The king of comedy Robert Bently, black face comedian with a new supply of burnt cork parodies and chatter. The dainty Ruth Talford, singing comedienne and character changes. The great break-away Barlows, talking gymnasts, introducing their own original sensational break-away. "A Circumstantial Hero," by the Sunscope will complete one of the best vaudeville bills ever seen in Portsmouth.

Lyric Good Pictures

The Lyric has a good show to-night in "The First Endorsement," Vitagraph, and a Selig comedy, "Venus and Adonis." For Monday Manager Mach is showing one of the funniest pictures ever made, it's called "Jerry's Uncle's Namesake," and it's a Vitagraph in two parts. It is without a doubt the craziest mix up of comical situations ever put together in a single picture and you are sure to enjoy a long hearty laugh. All next week the Lyric is showing a selected lot of pictures that will be well enjoyed by the picture patrons. There is not a poor subject on the whole week's program, and some of them are far above the ordinary run of pictures. The admission at the Lyric will be five cents every day except Friday, when there will be a special feature bill at a five and ten cent admission.

Brady Theatre

It is with pleasure that the management of the Brady announces that "The Ancient Order of Good Fellows," a Vitagraph life portrayed feature in two parts will be shown on the screen there tonight. The patrons are promised an exceptionally pleasing entertainment. It is a marvelously realistic and interesting photo-drama. It has thrilling scenes and humorous scenes [illegible] This book was [illegible] at its human interest angles, a very strong offering for a week end. "By Fate Twice," Thos. Ince Feature is an oriental story of the West. The part is handled by Enid and the scenes and setting [illegible]

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NEW YORK THEATRICALS

BY BEAU RIALTO

(Written for the United Press)

New York, March 14. "The Last Resort," at the Longacre Theatre is not that at all. It is a regular melodrama of the ten-twenty pattern and grips the feelings, visibilities and emotions even if it totally lacks the logic that appeals to the brain. And better still, it is a clean play, even if George Scarborough, lurid chronicler of white slavery did write it. Scarborough, who wrote "The Lure," and "At Bay," both of which aroused storms of comment and were short-lived in New York because of their salacious features, surprised his followers with "The Last Resort," in which the "red light" has no part.

The play is one of the most vicious attacks on the judiciary yet seen on Broadway. In spots it is so palpably overdrawn and far-fetched that perhaps it defeats its object by failing to impress the audience with its vital lesson. But in the main the story of "The Last Resort," is true to life. It shows up the very things in our judicial system that are making men agitate reforms. The things this play depict are the things that caused voters to demand the initiative and the referendum and caused Col. Roosevelt to advocate the recall of judges' decisions.

"The Last Resort" is a strong play, with an undertone of hard common sense and if the author had not made it so stagey and melodramatic he might have accomplished great good. The heroine is a pretty newspaper girl who loves the hero and is always on the lookout for a good story for her paper. The hero is a young lawyer, filled with zeal for the rights of the people. He has so much money that he does not need any more and he starts out to clean up the government, starting in with the judiciary. The villain is a former United States senator, now a corporation lawyer, who holds the state's appellate court in the hollow of his hand by controlling two of the members. There are only three judges and until the last act it is believed that the third judge, the chief justice, who is an honest man, can do anything.

Well then, the young lawyer, prosecuting the damage suit of an Irish washerwoman against the corporation lawyer's railroad, calls the trial judge a crook. He is sent to jail for contempt. The case is appealed. The two corrupt appellate judges and the ex-senator frame up to disbarred him and are ready to unload him when the newspaper girl bursts from the telephone booth, breaking the glass and tells them she has proof [illegible] corrupt judges arrange to try the girl for burglary and she gets five years. The reformer is sent up for an indefinite term. While he is in jail, the "peepul" elect him governor. They also re-elect the chief justice, who gives the girl a stay of execution, releases the hero on a habeas corpus writ and issues warrants for the two crooked judges and the ex-senator. Then, all in the same breath the chief justice marries the hero and the pretty reporter and immediately the new governor pardons his wife and himself. Of course, the law by which all this is done is a bit hazy, but what matter? It's melodrama and thrilling. Just an afterthought. Someday some revolutionary play carpenter will make his hero out of a corporation lawyer. Then won't the critics howl!

William Collier, of the defunct "Who's Who," and "A Little Water on the Side" experiments, went into a Broadway lunch counter place the other day, when in a hurry and ordered fried eggs.

"I want the same—but mind they are fresh," said a man sitting next to the comedian. "Fried eggs—two to come—and make one fresh," bawled the waiter to the window chef and now Collier eats elsewhere.

"What Would You Do?" Most folks who saw the play by that name at the Hudson Theatre would not go again. That's one of the answers. There are a lot more. Some playgoers might answer the query by saying they would re-write the play if they were Augustine MacHugh, the author. How any man who wrote the exquisite comedy and screaming situations to be seen last season in "Officer 666" could put out the drivel that went to make up "What Would You Do?" was more than the average first night critic could understand.

An untiring observer would have been justified in thinking that it was MacHugh's first play.

He made the mistake common to novices of trying to put all his cleverness in four acts. There is too much wit, too much smart talk, too much comedy in the play. It palls on one, clays the appetite and turns the mental stomach.

It does not follow by any means that the man who wrote "Officer 666" should of necessity continue to write comedy for farces, but MacHugh demonstrated with "What Would You Do?" that he is [illegible] that writing serious drama is not his forte.

Harris, the [illegible] Mr. [illegible] meet [illegible]

Scene from Way Down East at Grand Thursday. Special matinee.

Last Chance Tonight To See Auto Show

Tonight is your last opportunity of attending Portsmouth' first automobile show at Prichard's Fireproof Garage, Gallia street. The walls of the large room are adorned with bunting, and scores of new lights have been added to make the scene more attractive. Mr. Prichard invites all who are interested in the autos to be his guests this evening. Admission is free.

On display are a score of cars including the various models of the Buick, the Mitchell and the Stevens-Duryea. The Buick Bear, a racing car, that holds the world's record for twenty miles, is an added feature to the display and is well worth a close inspection. The garage is open at all hours and you may visit the display any time between ten o'clock.

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The method of serving the noon lunch at the Y. W. C. A. has been changed from cafeteria to a [illegible] cent lunch served at the tables. Come and get a good lunch for only 15 cents. The menu will be published for each day.

ROAD MEETING

The Scioto County Good Roads Federation will meet at the court house in Portsmouth, Friday, March 27th.

Every [illegible] of the boards of trade, merchants' associations [illegible] and all others interested are invited to attend.

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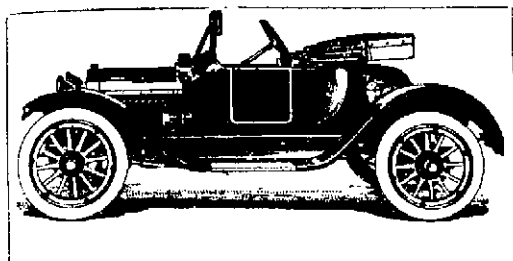

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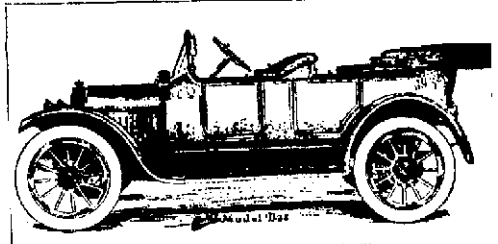

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C. & O. Plans For Its New Branch Road Near Completion

Columbus, March 14.—Plans for the construction of the new railroad line south from this city to Portsmouth is being completed and actual work is to be started during the summer. The new road is to be a connecting link of the Chesapeake and Ohio system, although it is to be constructed by the Hocking Valley railroad under separate financing. Incidentally, it is understood, that the object is to forestall the reported plans of the Virginia railroad to extend its lines through Ohio, according the 95 miles of Columbus and Southern railroad as a link.

While the definite plans for the construction of the proposed new link to connect the Hocking Valley and the Chesapeake lines have not been announced, it is said that the route will be south from this city through new territory, probably bisecting the Columbus and Southern railroad. This would tap an undeveloped coal area in Vinton and Hocking counties comprising thousands of acres. Access of this coal field has no outlet, and has been worked only for local requirements. This would provide a new coal traffic feeder for the Hocking Valley lines north of Columbus and the Chesapeake south to the seaboard. According to officials of the roads this coal traffic will be sufficient to more than warrant the expenditure for construction.

At present the Chesapeake and Ohio makes its connection with the Hocking Valley over the Kanawha and Michigan, either from Gauley, W. Va., or Point Pleasant. The proposed new road will connect with the Chesapeake at Portsmouth. Engineers have been at work for some time locating a site for a bridge over the Ohio river near Portsmouth for the Chesapeake and Ohio. Construction of this is to be started very soon. Officials of the roads say the work in building the new road which will be about 90 miles long, will be started early in July. It is expected that two years will be required to complete the construction.

Roy Mac Decides To Take Over G. O. P.

County Clerk Roy McElhaney, after much thought and travail, has decided to take upon his shoulders the task of rejuvenating the Republican party in Scioto county. Roy thinks that the time has come when the old timers in the party be gracefully retired to the rear and younger blood given a chance to show what they could do.

And so Roy has set out upon his Rilhesome way to party leadership. He has called a get-together meeting, an imitation of the recent Columbus affair, same to be held at his office in the court house, this Saturday evening. Roy's plan is to invite the Bull Moosers back into the fold and let one or two of their leaders have a county office nomination just to show there's no hard feeling. Also he proposes to line up everybody for Roy McElhaney for congress; Pete Smith for sheriff and George Sheppard for prosecuting attorney. John Barcha, who is a candidate for sheriff is to be told to "beat it", but he can run for county clerk if he is good, while John Hall, who is a candidate for clerk, is to be cruelly defeated at the primary, if he does not pull out.

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OBITUARY

Mrs. Thomas Wyatt

William Swabby of 1515 Grand view avenue received a message Saturday morning telling him of the death of his sister, Mrs. Thomas Wyatt, who died at Hillsboro at 4 o'clock Friday morning after suffering with paralysis for one week. Her husband died just five months ago. Mrs. F. W. Nagle of Wheelersburg is a sister of the deceased woman. Grover Wyatt, a N. & W. engineer, residing at Scioto and Vinton avenues, is a son of Mrs. Wyatt.

Gus Birle

Portsmouth friends of the family have received word of the death of Gus Birle, an uncle and a respected resident of Chillicothe, who died Thursday afternoon from cancer of the stomach. Several from this city are going to Chillicothe to attend the funeral, which will take place Sunday afternoon.

Wendelken

Martin Harold, bright little three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Wendelken of 730 Lincoln street died at 8:15 Friday morning after a ten days' illness with pneumonia. The lovable little boy was a ray of sunshine in the Wendelken home and the parents are grief stricken over their loss. The body was conveyed Saturday to the home of Mrs. H. J. Wendelken of 1061 Robinson ave., parents of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Wendelken, and the funeral services will be conducted from there Monday morning at 9 o'clock. The body will be taken to Wheelersburg on the noon train for interment will take place.

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HUSBAND DISAPPEARS

Mrs. Albert Stone of West Front street, is deeply concerned over the unaccountable absence of her husband. Mr. Stone runs a second hand store near the Hotel Portsmouth. Tuesday he took what money they had and left as he told his wife for Cincinnati to buy shoes. He promised at the extreme limit to return by Friday evening. Saturday has passed with no word of him and the wife fears foul play. She says they have had no trouble and he left in the best of humor.

Y. W. C. A. NEWS

The basketball game last night between the Selby club and the Business Girls resulted in a score of 17 to 7 in favor of the Selby club. The game was called at 7:40 and three ten-minute periods were played with ten minute rests between. The lineup was as follows:

Business Girls.	Selby Club.
M. Storck	R. F. L. Hartshorn
B. Clansing	L. F. M. McWilliams
D. Dalton	R. G.
A. Lutz	L. G.
E. Haffner (c)	C. A. Kress (c)

Scorekeeper, M. Jewett; timekeeper, Miss Woodford; referee, Miss Crisenberry.

A good fast game was played by both teams. Maude McWilliams starred in throwing baskets, five field goals standing to her credit. The guards did exceptionally good work and the centers featured in high jumping for the balls and overhead throwing. It is to be regretted that more people were not present to witness the game.

The menu for the Monday noon lunch to be served at the Y. W. C. A. for 15 cents will be:

Tomato Soup — Crackers
Escalloped Potatoes
Home-made Bread and Butter
Tea or Coffee — Sliced Oranges

Sold By Mr. Friel

Postmaster Chas. E. Hard expects to enter the long list of local artists and has placed an order for a Ford touring car with Agent Wm. J. Friel. The machine will arrive here next week and the P. M. proposes to train for speed from the very start.

Robert C. Bryan of the Globe Stove Co. has placed an order with Agent W. J. Friel for a new five passenger Studebaker car. The machine will arrive here within the next three weeks.

Pharmacist Is Coming

Stanley Jones, a graduate of the Ohio State University, will on Monday enter the employ of the Jones Drug Company in the capacity of a druggist. He had located in Youngstown for the past four years and is a highly competent druggist.

PATERNITY SUIT AT NEW BOSTON

A suit is being made to court over the case of Ella Moore against Hubert Sparks, a young of New Boston, which is scheduled for hearing before Lucius Davis at New Boston Saturday afternoon. The Moore girl is of New Boston, who is but sixteen years old, charges Sparks with being the father of her unborn child, and she volunteered herself up to the New Boston authorities Friday evening for an impromptu search for witnesses. The boy

Thomas, who was located in Portsmouth by Herman Mullins, of the Goodsher Store, Friday morning, was arrested. The police have not found any trace of

NEW BOSTON

A delightful surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Payton, of Rhodes avenue, Friday evening. The party was given in honor of Mr. Payton's birthday anniversary. Those present were Mrs. John Sanford and sons, John, Harry and George, Mrs. Chester York, Mrs. Jesse James and daughter Grace, Mrs. Henry Cottle, Mrs. James Payton and son James, Mrs. Clarence McGinnis and daughter Avanelle, Miss Ruth Sanford, Miss Hermann Payton, Mr. Fred Payton and Mrs. John Payton and daughter Dorothy. A delightful luncheon was served, after which all departed for their homes wishing Mrs. Payton many more happy birthdays.

Mrs. Lawrence Fitch of Ohio avenue entertained Mr. C. O. Davis and Mrs. Nettie Shoukwiler and two children of the city, Friday to a six o'clock dinner.

The following members of the Daughters of America attended the meeting of the Jr. O. U. A. M. Friday evening: Mesdames L. Fitch, Julia Johnson, Bertha Maple, Anna Aldridge, Siana Yeagle, C. Dever, George Maple, Nancy Erwin and Miss Jessie Lewis and Mrs. Ira Shafer and Mr. Ira Shafer and Mr. and Mrs. William Giles.

Lou Miller, Henry Miller and Frank Schuler returned Friday from a day's trip to Lucasville.

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Fancy Table Peaches, per can	15c
1 lb. Fancy Coffee	30c
50c Shirt	39c
$2 Suit Overall	$1.80
6 bars Gem Soap	25c
1 50 lb. sack of Jello	$1.28
1 bbl. Top Top Flour	$4.80
2 sacks Tip Top Flour	$1.25
4 cans of Dixie's Hominy	25c
10 lbs. Pickled Pork	$1.00
10 lbs. Crystal Corn	$1.65
1 dozen Large cans Tomatoes	98c
3 for boxes Matches for	10c

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WITH THE SICK

Mrs. J. F. Martin, of Sixth street, has returned home from Concord, Ky., where she was called by the serious illness of her niece, Mrs. Lenera Layton, who is suffering with tuberculosis. There are very little hopes for her recovery.

Mrs. Addie Bolmer, of 925 Sixth street, is quite ill with grip and has been confined to her home for the past week. She was resting a little easier Saturday morning.

Louis Davis, of 2015 Sixth street, is seriously ill with hemorrhages. He has suffered 23 hemorrhages during his eight weeks' illness, and half of them have been during the last few days. Very little hopes are held out for his recovery.

Kathryn, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Killen, is confined to her home at 2116 Fifth street with a severe case of whooping cough.

Harry Bridwell, of 2021 Sixth street, is very ill with typhoid fever. He has been confined to his home for one week. He was reported a little better Saturday.

Ruby, the six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson, is confined to her home at 2020 Sixth street, with an attack of malarial fever.

Walter, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Shaw, of 2015 Fifth street, who has been so seriously ill for five weeks with pneumonia and pleurisy, is slowly improving, although he is not yet able to sit up.

TERMINALS

Although there were no personal injuries at the local N. & W. yards on Friday the 13th, there was one small accident, that of an engine jumping the track. The extra engine of a local freight was going down the hump when four drivers of the engine jumped the track. The big mallet engine 999 pulled the extra derailed engine back onto the track.

N. & W. extra freight east bound derailed one car loaded with bridge timber at mile post 294, two miles this side of Canterbury, W. Va., Friday. The train was in charge of Conductor F. Dearth, and Engineer W. J. Callahan.

Second 84 N. & W., freight in charge of Conductor W. M. Camp and Engineers W. L. Weir and K. Walters derailed one car loaded with large steel bridge girders at the crossover at Valley Crossing Friday afternoon. The Portsmouth wreck car was called to the scene and they cleared the track after 2½ hours of hard work.

Charles Jackson of the firm of Jackson and Verner, grocers, returned Friday from Trenton, where he has been visiting friends and relatives since last Monday.

The semi-monthly pay checks of the N. & W., will arrive Sunday morning on No. 3 and will be distributed among the employees Monday.

Wire Tips

Cincinnati, O., March 14.—Municipal Judge Alexander today declared the anti free lunch law affecting saloons unconstitutional. He then upon dismissed Andrew Beaton and Isaac Fetter, who were charged with violation the law. The judge held that the law was a violation of the bill of rights in that it prevents a citizen from disposing of his property as he sees fit.

Judge Beck, also of Cincinnati, previously gave a similar decision while Judge Levine of Cleveland, in 1910 held the law constitutional.

Columbus, O., March 14.—The State Liquor Licence Commission today ruled that wholesale companies may place bar fixtures in Ohio saloons provided such fixtures will not be used for dispensing or connection with the tickers.

The state civil service commission ruled that janitors and janitresses in Ohio county jails must take examinations under civil service rules, or they are deputy sheriffs.

That awards granted under the workmen's compensation act by the state industrial commission are final and cannot be increased by appeal to Ohio courts was established today by a ruling of a Cuyahoga county court according to announcement made by the commission. The Industrial Commission settled 1049 claims during the past two weeks.

Duesseldorf, Germany, March 14.—The famous Thirteenth Century church of St. Quirinus, at Neuss, four miles from here, burst into flames at 6 o'clock this morning and the greater part of the edifice was quickly destroyed.

At noon the tower, the celebrated chimes and the organ had burned and the flames were still making headway in spite of all the fire fighting equipment of surrounding towns.

St. Quirinus was begun in the year 1209. The tower which collapsed today was reconstructed in 1711.

London, Eng., March 14.—Weak from a hunger and thirst strike started after her arrest last Sunday at Glasgow, Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst was released from the Holloway jail today. She was taken to a nursing home. Militant suffragettes charged that when Mrs. Pankhurst was arrested she fell during a skirmish and that the police threw her into a cab and allowed her to lie on the floor while they sat on a seat and insulted her. The charge will be investigated.

Koenigsberg, Germany, March 14.—Lieut. Hy Lesser, German army aviator, was instantly killed here today while attempting to make a landing. He was crushed beneath his machine.

Coshocton, O., March 14.—Gen. May, 50, classmate of President Wilson, and three times mayor of this city, died today from illness contracted while attending President Wilson's inauguration in March, 1912. He was president of the Hay Axle Company.

Cincinnati, O., March 14.—Ten parents were fined $10 each today for being partly responsible for the truancy of their children. The fines were suspended but the parents were compelled to pay the costs.

Columbus, O., March 14.—A three cornered natural gas deal involving $4,000,000 is proposed in petitions filed with the state public utilities commission by the Ohio Fuel company, the Columbus Gas and Fuel company and the Central Gas and Fuel company. The Ohio Fuel company, which controls the Federal Gas company, proposed to sell its holdings in Columbus to the Columbus Gas and Fuel company. The Columbus company proposed to sell its holdings in Columbus to the Ohio Fuel company.

New York, March 14.—Directors of the United States Express Company acted unanimously to liquidate its affairs and dissolve it in the shortest possible time.

Washington, March 14.—Flatly charging President Wilson with advocating the case of Great Britain, Representative Knowland, of California, Republican, today filed a minority report of the house interstate commission in the Panama Canal tolls bill.

In stinging words he charged that Great Britain's domination has caused demands for the repeal, and abandonment of the Monroe doctrine would be the logical result of following the majority's views. He branded the present administration's views and attitude as a "peace at any price policy" and "a situation unparalleled in history." "We are left without a spokesman with no attempts to settle through diplomatic channels; with no suggestions of referring this action to the arbitration in constitutional matters and complete surrender is urged."

Knowlands says the passage of the repeal bill would be cowardice and a notice to the world that this nation has abandoned under foreign pressure its traditional policy of an American controlled canal and affirmed by other presidents.

Cleveland, O., March 14.—Miss Marie Clauss, president of the city teachers club, today announced that a meeting of all teachers in the city has been called for next Tuesday, when a "Teachers' Labor Union" would be formed and which would be an affiliation of the local federation of labor. The teachers, 1200 strong, demand higher wages.

The present minimum wage is $500 annually. "We do not say that we will strike. We make no statement other than we will demand a living wage," said Miss Clauss.

Newark, N. J., March 14.—Fire broke out in the rear of the Baker Printing Company at noon today and spread rapidly, entailing a loss of $150,000.

Five hundred girls, employed by the H. & W. Waist Company, fled from the three upper floors in a panic but they all escaped without any serious injury.

Spring Millinery Opening Tuesday March, 17th.

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BOTH PHONES

SIX MEN INJURED IN EXPLOSION AT THE STEEL PLANT

Steam Condenser Let Go Suddenly

THE VICTIMS

John Lewis, night superintendent, Columbus, right leg fractured below knee.

Thomas Tibbs, heater, New Boston, bad scalp wound, serious burns about the back and chest. Condition serious.

Fred Larcher, brick mason, Portsmouth, scalp wound, burns about right arm.

Martis Ofer, brick mason helper, New Boston, back scalded.

Ed Nichols, catcher on Mill No. 5, New Boston, right arm burned.

Kerry Hood, sweeper, Sciotoville, back burned.

Six men were seriously injured while several had narrow escapes, when a big steam condenser, hanging 19 feet above the huge engine in the sheet-jobbing mill at the plant of the Portsmouth Steel company let go with a deafening roar, Saturday morning at 10:30 o'clock, the explosion scattering men in its path in all directions, possibly fatally injuring one of the men, Thomas Tibbs, a foreigner ,and in a lesser degree inflicting painful injuries on the five other men, namely John Lewis, Fred Larcher, Martin Ofer, Ed Nichols and Kerry Hood.

The accident happened at a time when but few men were near the engine, else there is no telling how much more serious it might have been. The condenser is connected with steam pipes from the engine, and all the steam exhaust flows into it, doing away with the huge clouds of steam. Just what caused the explosion has not been determined, although it is thought the safety cock on top of the condenser failed to work, and the strain on the condenser, which is about six feet square, was too much. The entire east side of the condenser was ripped out, and the escaping steam filled the plant.

Injured Men Hid By Steam

The report was heard a considerable distance and pandemonium reigned for some little time, as it was impossible to reach the injured men until the clouds of steam lifted.

Tibbs, who was the most seriously injured, was found between two piles of slabs. How he got there will never be known, for when found he was almost crazed. Blood poured from his head in a steady stream and strange to say he did not have a stitch of clothing on. It is thought that the clothes were either blown off him or in his delirium he ripped them off with his hands. He was badly scalded about the back and chest, while two of his toes were literally cooked.

Engineer Has Fortunate Escape

Engineer Williams, fortunately for him, had reached down to do some repair work about the steam chest on the engine when the explosion occurred. He was thus protected from the escaping steam. Otherwise he would have received the full discharge from the condenser. As it was he was one of the worst scared men in the big plant, for he was blinded by the steam and could not budge an inch.

One of the inspectors, a Mr. Baker, had a peculiar experience. He was standing within two feet of Hibbs and while his clothes were drenched with steam and water he was not burned in the least. He was struck on the hand by a piece of flying debris but the skin was not barely scratched.

One piece of the condenser, weighing fully ten pounds, was found 125 feet away from the scene of the explosion, and fortunately did not strike any one in its flight.

Severals Doctors Are Called In

As soon as the explosion occurred a hurry call was sent in for physicians, Dr. Schirmann, the regular company surgeon, Drs. Fitch, Tatje and Schaefer responding. Lynn's and Dachler's ambulances were also on the scene. The injured men were removed to the emergency hospital and their injuries attended to. Four of the men, Messrs. Tibbs, Lewis, Larcher and Ofer were taken to Hempstead hospital, where they were given still further attention. Nichols and Hood were taken to their respective homes and will be laid up for some little time.

Some time ago, the condenser exploded, the top being blown off. No one was injured at that time. After being reconstructed, a safety valve was placed on the top, which is supposed to blow off when the pressure becomes heavy enough.

Had the accident occurred fifteen minutes later, there would have been more than 25 men in the path of the escaping steam. Strange to say, not a particle of damage was done to any of the plant's machinery, although the debris was scattered for a radius of 250 feet.

Mrs. Louis Brown, of Sixth street, is recovering very slowly from an attack of malarial fever.

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May Have Suit Over Extra Work On Waterworks

Unless the city of Portsmouth consents to allow the bill of the Nicola Building company of Pittsburg for extra work performed at the new water works plant, the company will enter suit in the common pleas court to recover the amount asked for. This was indicated by the representatives of the firm at a conference attended by the mayor, service director, city solicitor, and resident engineer Friday evening at the service director's office. No action will be taken until the arrival of Engineer Witmer of Buffalo, although the company has retained Attorneys Blair and Kimble of this city, to look after its interests.

The Nicola company was awarded the contract for Division One of the general contract, consisting of the pumping station, stack, well, and intake. The total amount of the contract was $74,135.00, of which amount all has been paid excepting the fifteen per cent held back by the city until the plant is formally accepted by the city, amounting to $13,400.

In addition to the above amount the company now puts in claims for various extras, and cites agreements made with the former administration as reasons why these claims should be allowed. There is nothing to show that any such agreements existed, according to the present officials, who claim that the greater part of the extra work was occasioned by carelessness on the part of the company's agents.

Engineer Witmer will be asked to straighten out the controversy, if he is able to do so. The records show that the Nicola company has already been paid over $3600 for extra work, not authorized in the contract agreement.

ELK BOAT EXCURSIONS

The annual boat excursions of the Portsmouth Elks will be given this year on April 27 and May 1. Contracts calling for the coming of the palatial steamer, The Island Queen were signed today by Secretary Clarence E. Nutler of the local Elks and forwarded to the Coney Island Company.

GOOD OLD SUMMER TIME

Saturday was a typical spring day and the streets were thronged with people. It was the first real spring day and the golden sunshine and balmy breezes were certainly welcome after a snow period of five weeks. The extremes in temperature were 66 and 23.

High School Team Beaten By Ashland

The basketball team of the Portsmouth High school journeyed to Ashland, Friday, to play the A. H. S. boys, who several weeks ago handed them a stinging defeat on P. H. S.'s floor. The game started promptly at 8:30, with both teams showing good form. The first half was marked by splendid playing on both sides. Test made the first point of the game by throwing a foul goal for Portsmouth. Zerfoss of Ashland came back with a foul goal for his team. Test's basket throwing was fine. The first half ended with the score 15 to 9 in favor of Ashland.

Dudnit was put in center for Portsmouth in the second half and threw several long shots. In this half both teams showed the work of the coach by their splendid team work. Wilson took Brandel's place at forward and showed up nicely. Bentine of Ashland was very badly hurt when he came in contact with Perkinson. The game ended with the score 35 to 27 in favor of Ashland.

Following was the lineup:

Ashland		Portsmouth
Zerfoss	R. F.	Swisshelm
Bentine	L. F.	Brandel
		Wilson
Hopkins	C.	Test, Dudnit
Andrews	R. G.	Perkinson
Geiger	L. G.	Jones

Foul goals Test 3, Swisshelm 2, Zerfoss 7. Field goals Test 5, Perkinson 2, Jones 1, Dudnit 2, Wilson 1, Swisshelm 2, Bentine 6, Hopkins 3, Andrews 2, Zerfoss 3, Geiger 2. Referee, J. L. Parker, Huntington, W. Va., umpire, E. M. Marting, Ashland.

Home From Trip

Ben Hopkins has returned from a trip through Virginia in the interest of the Portsmouth Store & Range company.

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SAVINGS HABIT

With The Portsmouth Savings & Loan Co., First National Bank Building, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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Mrs. Wells Asks For Divorce

Attorneys Blair and Kimble filed a suit for divorce and alimony Saturday afternoon in which Minnie Wells is plaintiff and Isaac Wells is defendant.

They were married in March, 1893, and have five children. She alleges that her husband is an habitual drunkard, and has been guilty of extreme cruelty toward her; that he knocked her down, tore part of her clothes off, called her vile names and threatened to kill her. She alleges that he is interested with William H. Huff in the plumbing business at New Boston.

She wants divorce, alimony and custody of the children. She got a temporary restraining order enjoining him from disposing of his property or in any way interfering with the family.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our sincere thanks to our friends and relatives and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown during the sickness and death of our beloved brother and especially for the sympathy shown toward us by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace with whom he made his home, for the beautiful floral offerings from the stock room at the Selby Shoe Co., also to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Wallace, K. O. T. M. M. and W. of W. to whom he was a member, and the kind and consoling words by Rev. Brooks of the First Christian church of which he was also a member.

Henry Hayslip and Family.
Frederick S. Hayslip, of Portsmouth, Ohio.
Robert Walter Hayslip, Portsmouth, Ohio.
Mrs. J. B. Dun, of Columbus, O.
Mrs. Milton Thrves, of Portsmouth, O.
Mrs. Wm. Scaffer, of Xenia, O.
adv.

Arrested At New Boston

[illegible] Marshal W. T. Duncan at New Boston, Saturday [illegible] charge of being drunk and disorderly.

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G. A. R. Meeting

Resolutions thanking the Old Ladies' Home for the Bible recently presented to the Post and endorsing the efforts of Rev. Crayton S. Brooks in trying to have Congressman Switzer secure the passage of a special act reinstating Comrade Hiram Pierce, removed for disability, were passed at a large and enthusiastic meeting of Bailey Post, G. A. R., at the Post headquarters on Gallia street, Friday evening.

Interesting addresses were made by Dr. P. J. Kline and D. P. Pratt, and the usual camp-fire chats followed the regular business meeting. Comrade Isaac McFunkin entertained the Post with a graphonola concert, which was hugely enjoyed. The Post accepted the invitation of the Spanish-American War veterans to attend their smoker on Thursday evening, March 19th, with thanks. It was one of the best attended meetings of the Post in months, the favorable weather making it advantageous for the veterans to get out.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued Saturday afternoon:

Harry P. Warner, aged 21, a car repairer of Metcalf, Ky., and Alma Friend, aged 20, a shoe worker, city. Squire Shakespeare officiated.

Harry Bruce Brewer, aged 21, a farmer, and Effie Ackley, aged 22, both of Louisa, Ky. Squire Shakespeare officiated.

Thief Stole Suit of Clothes

An unknown thief Friday night effected an entrance to William Barnes' home on Eighth street and decamped with a suit of clothes belonging to Barnes, who is a steelworker. The thief forced a side window to gain admission to the home.

Russell Hopkins, who has been confined to his home at 2013 Sixth street, for one week with typhoid fever, does not show any improvement.

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